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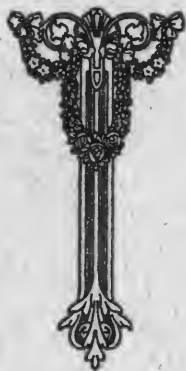
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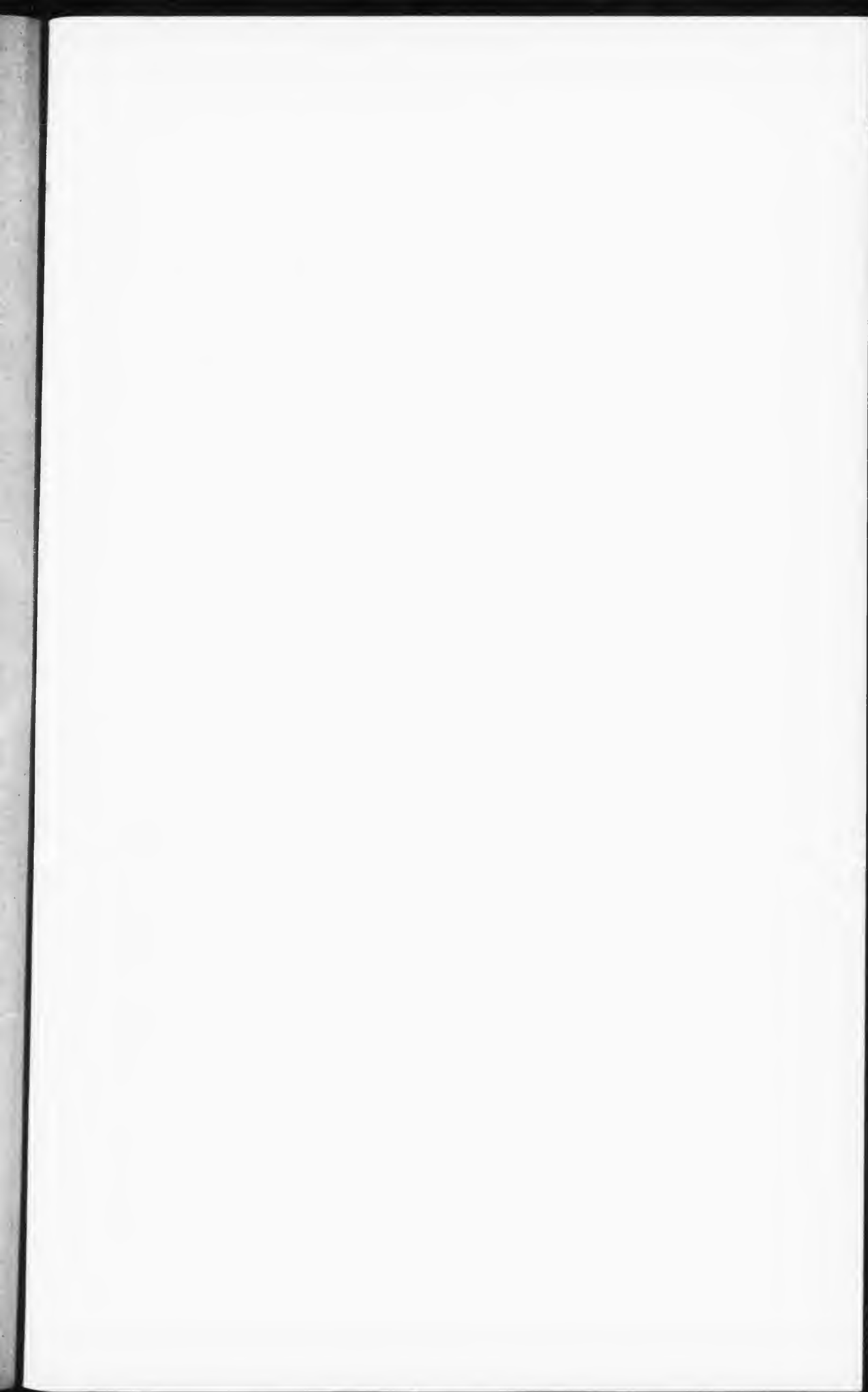
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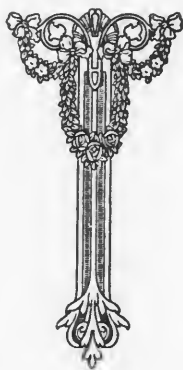
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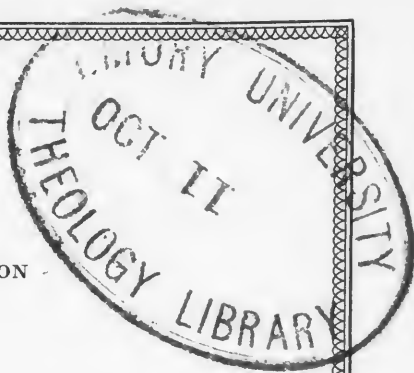
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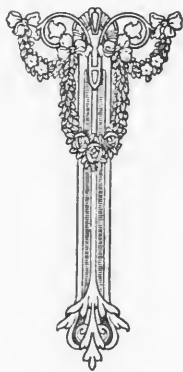
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II.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

FIRST DAY—WEDNESDAY.

LANCASTER METHODIST CHURCH,
LANCASTER, S. C., November 2, 1921.

The Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened its seventh annual session in Lancaster Methodist Church, Lancaster, S. C., at 9:00 a. m., November 2, 1921 Bishop U. V. W. Darlington in the chair.

Bishop Darlington administered the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, assisted by J. W. Kilgo, E. S. Jones, G. C. Leonard and J. E. Mahaffey.

The roll was called by B. R. Turnipseed, Secretary of the last Conference. One hundred and 32 clerical and 12 lay members answered to their names.

B. R. Turnipseed was elected Secretary, with A. L. Gunter and L. E. Wiggins, assistants. W. B. Garrett was elected Statistical Secretary, with R. F. Morris, R. L. Holroyd, F. C. Beach, W. L. Mullikin, J. F. Lupo and H. O. Chambers, assistants.

The Bar of the Conference was fixed to include the main auditorium. The hours for meeting and adjournment were fixed as follows: Meet at 9:00 a. m. and adjourn at 12:30; afternoon meetings to be held at 3:30 and the evening services at 7:30.

The Presiding Elders, a standing committee on nominations, presented their report through E. S. Jones as follows:

Committee on Memoirs.—J. B. Traywick, John O. Willson, J. K. Walker, A. N. Brunson, R. E. Stackhouse.

Committee on Public Worship.—G. C. Leonard, E. R. Mason, Maj. J. M. Riddle.

Committee on Conference Relations.—E. W. Mason, S. H. Booth, J. E. Mahaffey, Henry Stokes, D. W. Keller, S. T. Blackman.

District Conference Journals.—J. W. Lewis, R. E. Sharp, J. F. Golightly, L. M. Moore, A. W. Love, J. F. McKelvey.

Sabbath Observance.—J. B. Connelly, D. E. Jeffcoat, C. W. Watson, J. A. Cely, E. D. Easterling, S. C. Carter

Memorials to the General Conference.—R. E. Stackhouse, P. F. Kilgo, I. P. McGee, J. L. Quinby, J. C. Smith.

This committee further nominated the following to fill vacancies on Conference Boards and Standing Committees:

R. F. Moris in place of A. E. Holler on the Sunday School Board; R. E. Stackhouse in place of A. E. Holler on the Committee on Admissions; W. L. Mullikin in place of A. E. Holler on Committee of Examinations of the fourth year; A. M. DuPre in place of L. G. Potter on Board of Christian Literature.

The above report was adopted.

J. E. Mahaffey moved to add a Committee on Disarmament; the motion was carried and the following committee was appointed: J. E. Mahaffey, S. H. Booth, J. A. Barrett.

Dr. John O. Willson and B. R. Turnipseed offered memorials to the General Conference which were referred to the Committee on Memorials.

Question 18. Who are Supernumerary? was called, and the character of M. G. Latham was examined and passed and his name referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary relation. D. R. Roof's character was examined and passed and his name referred to the committee for the same relation.

Question 19. Who are Superannuated? was called. After examination and passage of character, the names of the following were referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuated relation:

J. F. Anderson, M. M. Brabham, R. F. Bryant, J. W. Bailey, J. R. Copeland, L. L. Inabinet, J. B. Traywick, J. W. Neely.

The names of Marion Dargan and J. N. Isom were called and the fact of their death during the year was noted and their names were referred to the Committee on Memoirs.

The Bishop led the Conference in prayer for these veterans of the Cross and for the families of the two who had fallen during the year.

The following brethren were introduced: E. H. Rawlings of the General Board of Missions, A. D. Betts, J. H. Noland, and D. M. McLeod of the South Carolina Conference.

John O. Willson moved that the members of the South Carolina Conference present be extended the privileges of the floor. The motion prevailed.

Question. 17. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was called, and the characters of the Presiding Elders examined and passed as follows: A. E. Holler, J. W. Kilgo, J. R. T. Major, J. M. Steadman, G. C. Leonard, E. S. Jones.

J. S. Hunter was introduced and spoke in the interest of the Publishing House.

R. L. Keaton moved that Question 35, "Where shall the next Session of the Conference be held?" be made a special order for 11:30 Friday morning. The motion prevailed.

Question 2. Who remain on trial? was called. William Glenn Smith, John Thurman Frazier, Beverly Henry Tucker, Robert Carl Griffith, John Wofford Cooley, and James Thomas Lawrence were called, and having stood approved examinations on the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character, were advanced to the class of the second year. (Edwin Fountain Moseley and William Everett Taylor, not having completed the course of study, after examination and passage of character, were continued in the class of the first year.)

The name of James Waite was called, his character passed, and he was granted a location at his own request.

Question 13. What traveling preachers are elected deacons? was called; John Pinckney Byars, John Leslie Jett, Adam Malichi Smith, Allister Elzy Smith, Whitefield Johnson, having stood approved examinations, upon the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character, were elected deacons and advanced to the class of the third year. Fritz Chester Beach, already a deacon, having stood an approved examination upon the course of study, upon examination and passage of character was advanced to the class of the third year. William Fred Harris, R. L. Rountree and C. P. Carter, not completing the course of study, after examination and passage of character, were continued in the class of the second year.

Question 12. Who are the deacons of one year? was called, and Pinckney Lomo Bouknight, John Foster Farr, Daniel Addison Jeffcoat, James Marion Mason, James Ernest Merchant, Landy Wood Shealy, Roy Woods Wilkes, Joseph Dempsey Griffin having stood an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, after examination and passage of character were advanced to the class of the fourth year. R. F. Cogburn not having completed the course of study, upon examination and passage of character was continued in the class of the third year.

Question 15. What traveling preachers are elected Elders? was called, and Choice Leon Harris, Benjamin Herbert Harvey having passed an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, upon examination and passage of character were elected elders. Scuddy Blackman White, having passed an approved examination on the prescribed course of study, and already an elder his character was passed. William Alfred Duckworth not having completed the course of study, upon examination and passage of character was continued in the class of the fourth year.

F. H. Shuler, M. L. Banks, J. H. Graves and E. L. McCoy of the South Carolina Conference were introduced.

After announcements, Conference adjourned with the benediction by Dr. E. H. Rawlings.

SECOND DAY—THURSDAY.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH,
LANCASTER, S. C. November 3, 1921

Conference was called to order this morning at 9 o'clock, Bishop U. V. W. Darlington in the chair. Opening devotions were conducted by J. W. Speake. The Minutes of yesterday's session were read and after corrections approved.

The roll of absentees was called and 9 clerical and 16 lay members not here yesterday answered to their names. The Bishop requested that all substitutions of alternates for principals be given to the secretary in writing.

It was moved by E. S. Jones that we meet tomorrow at 8:30 a. m. for a Memorial Service for the lamented Bishop W. R. Lambuth. Carried.

Question 6, "Who are received by transfer from other Conferences?" was called, and answered, F. C. Owen, an elder from the North Georgia Conference; J. A. Chandler, an elder from the North Georgia Conference; A. M. Traywick, an elder from the Tennessee Conference; J. C. Diggs, an elder from the Florida Conference.

Memorials were offered from the following District Conferences and referred to the Committee on Memorials. Two from the Rock Hill District and one from the Cokesbury District.

A Memorial from the Conference Board of Finance was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

C. C. Featherstone offered the following resolutions in regard to the Income Tax upon the parsonages of the preachers, which after being discussed by R. L. Keaton, J. W. Kilgo and J. H. Brown and W. L. Gray were adopted.

WHEREAS, under the Act of Congress, as it is interpreted by the Internal Revenue Department, Ministers of the Gospel are required in paying their Income Tax to charge themselves—not only with their salaries—but to add thereto the rent value of the parsonage which is furnished to them by their Churches.

Now Therefore be it Resolved, by the Upper South Carolina Conference now in session:

1st. That the said Conference desires to place itself on record as opposed to this construction of the said act by the Internal Revenue Department.

2nd. That in the judgment of this Conference, the salaries of ministers ought to be exempt from taxation altogether.

3rd. That the present Act of Congress ought to be amended so as to conform to the above views.

4th. That this Conference, through its Secretary, get at once in communication with United States Senator Dial and Congressman J. J. McSwain and urge them to take the necessary steps to change the Act of Congress by amendment so as to conform to these views.

5th. That a copy of these Resolutions be transmitted to Senator Dial and Congressman McSwain.

J. C. SMITH,
C. C. FEATHERSTONE,
JOHN D. HARRIS.

Question 1. "Who are admitted on trial?" was called, and Robert Marvin Tucker, James Elijah Ellis, Francis Victor Robertson, James Smiley Ewdards, Numa M. Phillips, Roy Omer Webb, Larkin Augustus Carter, and Herbert Willis Sanders, having passed the required examinations, and being recommended by the Committee on Admissions, were admitted on trial.

Question 13. "What local preachers have been elected Deacons?" was called. Answer None.

Question 15. "What local preachers have been elected Elders?" was called. Answer, None.

The following were introduced to the conference: Dr. S. H. C. Burgin of the General Board of Church Extension; Dr. Ed. F. Cook, Assistant Secretary of the General Board of Education, and Dr. R. H. Bennett, Secretary Department of Ministerial Supply and Training.

L. E. Wiggins submitted Report Number 1 of the Board of Education which, after being spoken to by Dr. E. F. Cook and Bishop Darlington, was adopted. (See report.) Bishop Darlington upon request led the Conference in prayer.

Dr. S. H. C. Burgin, Secretary of the General Board of Church Extension, addressed the Conference.

W. D. Roberts, the Superintendent of the Epworth Orphanage, was introduced and addressed the Conference.

Bishop Darlington announced that without objection a Memorial with reference to the Southern Christian Advocate, which had been referred to the Committee on Memorials, be transferred to the Committee on Christian Literature.

Bishop Darlington asked that the class to be received into full connection be present at 9:30 Friday morning.

It was moved by B. R. Turnipseed that the election of delegates to the General Conference be made a special order for 10 o'clock on Friday morning.

M. K. Meadors submitted the report of the Board of Christian Literature, which, after being spoken to by F. H. Shuler and Bishop Darlington, was adopted.

The following were introduced to the Conference: Bishop Usaka of the Methodist Church of Japan, E. P. Hutson and W. C. Owen of the South Carolina Conference, J. S. Corpening, pastor of the Baptist Church of Lancaster.

J. E. Mahaffey submitted the report of the Committee on Disarmament. Report adopted. (See report.)

C. C. Featherstone presented Report Number 1. of the Sunday School Board which was adopted. (See report.)

W. Y. Cooley presented a Memorial which was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

Dr. J. W. Kilgo moved that in calling the names of the Travelling preachers, that their characters be examined and passed without a verbal report. Carried.

John O. Willson moved that Bishop Darlington speak to the Conference at any time convenient to him about his experiences and about the conditions he saw over seas. Carried.

D. E. Camak moved that the address of Bishop Darlington be made a special order for 10 a. m. Saturday. Carried.

Question 17. "Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration?" was called, and the names of the following preachers were called and their characters examined and passed: F. G. Whitlock, A. N. Brunson, W. S. Goodwin, A. E. Driggers, J. E. Mahaffey, N. G. Ballenger, W. L. Mullikin, J. T. Miller, J. C. Harmon, G. G. Harley, H. B. Hardy, J. W. Lewis, E. P. Taylor, R. L. Doggett, J. S. Henley, C. E. Peele, A. H. Best, W. H. Murray, B. R. Turnipseed, D. E. Jeffcoat, T. W. Munnerlyn, J. L. Daniel, W. F. Gault, J. L. Singleton, S. H. Booth, J. P. Simpson, John O. Willson, R. O. Lawton, L. F. Beaty, W. J. Snyder, G. H. Hodges, S. C. Dunlap, A. L. Gunter, G. T. Hughes, W. M. Harden, R. L. Keaton, R. S. Truesdale, E. T. Hodges, R. F. Morris, M. L. Carlisle, W. H. Polk, G. W. M. Taylor, R. E. Sharp, L. W. Johnson, W. H. Lewis, D. W. Deller, J. C. Cunningham, J. H. Brown, T. F. Gibson, H. A. Whitten, A. W. Barr, J. M. Meetze, T. C. O'dell, R. E. Stackhouse.

The name of A. H. Best referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the Supernumerary relation.

A. H. Best spoke of his work in the Conference and feeling it best to have the Supernumerary relation.

E. T. Hodges spoke of his work during the year, and the future plans for the charge he was serving. The time was extended until the matter in hand be attended to. L. F. Beaty, J. R. T. Major, J. B. Traywick, B. R. Turnipseed and R. S. Truesdale spoke of the personal touch and work of E. T. Hodges.

After the singing of "Blest be the Tie that Binds" and the making of the announcements, Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Usaka.

THIRD DAY—FRIDAY.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH,

LANCASTER, S. C. November 4, 1921

Conference met at 8:30 a. m. in accord with the resolution of Thursday. Memorial Services for the lamented Bishop W. R. Lambuth were held. Memorials were read by Bishop Usaka of the Methodist Church of Japan, and by E. H. Rawlings of the General Board of Missions. Ed. F. Cook of the General Board of Missions led in prayer Bishop Darlington spoke of the splendid service of his departed comrade.

The Minutes of yesterday's session were read, and after several corrections were approved.

W. L. Gray offered the following resolutions of appreciation of the services of Bishop Darlington in presiding over the Conference during the past four years, which were adopted by a rising vote.

Whereas, according to the custom of our church our beloved Bishop U. V. W. Darlington will have completed his term of service in our Conference at the end of the present session,

Therefore be it Resolved, That we do hereby express our love and appreciation for him as a Christian Leader, and that a page be set aside in the Minutes of the Conference upon which this resolution

shall be recorded; thus showing our approbation of his acts and rulings during his quadrennium, covering an important period of Missionary and educational development, as well as all other activities of the Church in the history of the Upper South Carolina Conference.

Respectfully submitted,

W. L. GRAY,
A. E. TAYLOR.

The order of the day was postponed until Question 5 of the condensed Minutes was answered.

Question 5. "Who are admitted into full connection?" was called, and after an address by Bishop Darlington, and satisfactory answers to the Disciplinary questions, John Pinckney Byars, John Lester Jett, Allison Malichi Smith, Whitefield Johnson, and Fritz Chester Beach were admitted.

The hour for the special order having arrived, the election of delegates to the General Conference was begun.

Tellers for the Clerical delegates were appointed as follows: O. M. Abney, J. H. Brown, W. Y. Cooley; for the Lay delegates, L. L. Hardin, C. P. Hammond, M. W. Roddey.

R. L. Holroyd was appointed secretary for the Clerical and M. T. Wharton for the Lay delegates.

Question 17. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? was called, and the names of the following were called and their characters examined and passed: L. E. Wiggins, J. Paul Patton, H. O. Chambers, C. W. Watson, A. M. Doggett, C. C. Herbert, C. M. Morris, W. B. Garrett, W. B. Justus, M. M. Brooks, O. M. Abney, P. F. Kilgo, Foster Speer, E. W. Mason, Hamlin Etheredge, J. F. Lupo, S. B. White, L. D. Gillespie, M. K. Meadors, J. W. Shell, Henry Stokes, R. C. Boulware, J. G. Huggin, J. A. Bledsoe, W. R. Bouknight, J. E. Brown, M. T. Wharton, E. R. Mason, J. B. Kilgore, A. Q. Rice, J. W. Speake, W. S. Martin, R. L. Holroyd, J. D. Holler, J. K. Walker, J. C. Roper, J. H. Montgomery, W. C. Kelley, P. R. Kilgo, B. M. Robertson, W. A. Fairey, J. E. Strickland, W. Y. Cooley, S. T. Blackman, J. F. Golightly, J. H. Manly, M. B. Patrick, F. E. Dibble, J. W. Fraser, J. B. Connelly, L. P. McGhee, J. B. Chick, W. M. Owings, D. E. Camak, J. L. Harley, S. T. Creech.

J. M. Steadman reported the trial and acquittal of Hamlin Etheredge during the year.

J. C. Roper offered the following resolutions in regard to providing more adequately for widows and children of deceased ministers.

Whereas, the support provided for the widows and children of deceased ministers is entirely inadequate; and whereas it is possible to insure the lives of the entire effective membership of this body, without physical examination, at approximately \$14.00 per year per member, and.

Whereas, the aggregate amount necessary to insure the effective members in full connection is approximately \$2,000.00, and including those on trial and the supplies, possibly not more than \$2,400.00, therefore, be it

Resolved, That this body instruct the Board of Finance to investigate the above proposition and that it be empowered to ask for a Christmas offering in all our congregations with which to consummate the above proposal, if upon investigation it deems it wise to do so.

T. W. MUNNERLYN,
M. W. RODDEY,
J. C. ROPER.

W. S. Morrison presented the report of the Committee on Temperance and Christian Service, which was adopted. (See report.)

The result of the first ballot for Lay delegates was announced as follows: 32 Votes cast, 17 necessary to a choice. H. N. Snyder receiving 27 and C. C. Featherstone receiving 17 were declared elected.

The following were introduced to the Conference:

W. S. Patterson of the A. R. P. Church of Lancaster.

W. S. Hailes of the Western North Carolina Conference.

A. J. Cauthen, W. D. Gleaton, C. C. Derrick, W. A. Beckham, and J. B. Weldon of the South Carolina Conference.

The time of the special order having arrived, Question 35, "Where shall the next session of the Conference be held?" was called. St. Paul was nominated by W. B. Garrett.

Gaffney was nominated by W. A. Fairey.

Green Street was nominated by R. L. Keaton.

Main Street was nominated by R. S. Truesdale.

Aiken was nominated by G. H. Hodges.

The privileges of the floor were given to the visitors from Green St. in order that they might extend the invitation from that Church.

The result of the second ballot for Lay delegates was announced as follows: 32 ballots cast, 17 necessary for a choice. L. L. Hardin receiving 17 was declared elected.

The result of the first ballot for Clerical delegates was announced as follows: 131 votes cast, 66 necessary for choice. R. E. Stackhouse receiving 69 was declared elected.

Invitations were extended from Green St. by the following: Mrs. R. L. Keaton, E. T. Summersett, B. L. Caughman, Mrs. Beckham, Mrs. Kramer, and Mrs. Greene.

The result of the third ballot for Lay Delegates was announced as follows: 31 votes cast, 16 necessary to a choice; J. C. Smith receiving 20 was declared elected.

The vote was taken as to the place of holding the next Conference and Gaffney was chosen by a plurality vote.

It was moved and carried to make the nomination of Gaffney unanimous.

R. E. Sharp presented the report of the Epworth League Board which was adopted. (See report.)

Mrs. J. Fuller Lyon read the report of the Board of Finance which was received as information. (See report.)

The result of the fourth ballot for Lay delegates was announced as follows: 30 ballots cast, 16 necessary to a choice: J. D. Harris receiving 16 ballots was declared elected as an alternate.

C. P. Hammond moved that the second highest be declared the second alternate. The motion carried and S. C. Carter was declared the 2nd. alternate.

Upon motion the time was extended till the ballot be taken for clerical delegates.

The result of the second ballot for Clerical delegates was announced as follows: 128 votes cast, 65 necessary to a choice; J. R. T. Major receiving 80 and M. L. Carlisle receiving 77 were declared elected.

Henry Stokes was granted leave of absence.

Upon motion the time was extended until the result of the third ballot for Clerical Delegates be declared.

J. E. Mahaffey offered a memorial to the General Conference which after being read was referred to the Committee on Memorials.

W. R. Bouknight presented the report of the Board of Managers of Epworth Orphanage which was adopted without reading.

T. W. Munnerlyn in behalf of the Board of Finance spoke of the matter of Conference Group Insurance.

The result of the (third) ballot for Clerical Delegates was announced as follows: 120 ballots cast, 61 necessary to a choice. No election.

Bishop Usaka bade the Conference an affectionate farewell which was responded to very feelingly by Bishop Darlington, "Blest be the Tie that Binds" was sung, and after the announcements the Conference adjourned with the benediction by Bishop Usaka.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY—MORNING SESSION.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

LANCASTER, S. C., November 5, 1921.

Conference was called to order at nine a. m., Bishop Darlington in the chair. The opening devotions were conducted by the Bishop, and H. G. Hardin of the Western North Carolina Conference led in prayer.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read, and after corrections approved.

Question 3. Who are discontinued? was called, and answered, None.

Question 5. Who are readmitted? was called. Answer, None.

A ballot for the remaining clerical delegate to the General Conference was ordered.

Question 7. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? was called. Answer, None.

Question 9 Who have withdrawn or been expelled? was called. Answer. None.

Question 10 Who are transferred to other conferences? was called and answered, Hanlin Etheredge to the South Carolina Conference and J. W. Frazer to the Alabama Conference.

Question 8. Who are located? was called, S. C. Dunlap was granted a location at his own request.

By vote of the Conference the special order of the day was postponed until the business in hand was attended to.

W. S. Martin requested that his name be referred to Committee on Conference Relations for the Superannuate relation. The request was granted.

The order of the day having arrived Bishop Darlington addressed the Conference upon his services and observations in Europe.

W. W. Pinson, Secretary of the General Board of Missions, was introduced and briefly addressed the Conference.

The result of the ballot for the delegate to the General Conference was announced as follows: 119 votes cast, 60 necessary to a choice. No election.

Another ballot was ordered.

John O. Willson moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet at 2:30 this afternoon. Carried.

John O. Willson moved that a Memorial Session be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Carried.

Conference recessed for a meeting of the Conference Brotherhood.

Conference resumed.

The result of the ballot for delegate to the General Conference was announced as follows: 110 votes cast, 56 necessary to a choice. B. R. Turnipseed having received 61 votes was declared elected.

A ballot for two alternates was ordered, on motion of J. W. Kilgo. L. D. Thompson and J. A. Sharp of the Western North Carolina Conference and A. M. Trawick of Wofford College were introduced.

J. W. Kilgo moved that the two receiving the highest votes on the ballot taken for alternate delegates to the General Conference be declared elected. The motion prevailed.

John O. Willson moved that the secretary be instructed to send greetings of affection and sympathy from this Conference to Bishop John C. Kilgo. The motion was adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of A. E. Holler the name of E. P. Taylor was referred to the Committee on Conference Relations for the supernumerary relation.

J. W. Speake read the report of the Hospital Commission. The report was adopted, and on motion of J. C. Roper the present Hospital Commission was continued.

Report No. 2 of the Sunday School Board was presented by L. F. Beaty. It was adopted.

The result of the ballot for alternate delegates to the General Conference was announced as follows: J. W. Speake received 55 votes and J. W. Kilgo 32 and were declared elected.

The question of the change in the XXIII Article of Religion in the Disciplines of all our Churches in foreign lands was submitted to the Conference and it registered its decision in favor of the change by a unanimous vote of 118.

The Committee on Public Worship rendered its report through E. R. Mason, as follows:

Report Committee on Public Worship

FIRST M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH.

- 9:30 a. m.—Love Feast conducted by Rev. M. M. Brabham.
- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Bishop U. V. W. Darlington; followed by ordination of Deacons. Members of this class will occupy seat on left of pulpit.
- 3:30 p. m.—Memorial service—followed by ordination of Elders.
- 7:30 p. m.—Preaching by Dr. A. M. Trawick.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. B. R. Turnipseed.
- 7:30 p. m.—Preaching by Rev. A. E. Driggers.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. L. P. McGee.
- 7:30 p. m.—Preaching by Rev. F. E. Dibble.

ASSOCIATE REFORM PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. R. S. Truesdale.

GRACE METHODIST CHURCH.

- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. A. M. Doggett.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH

- 11:00 a. m.—Rev. J. P. Byars.

ELGIN METHODIST CHURCH

- 11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. S. J. McConnell.

DOUGLASS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

3:30 p. m.—Preaching by Rev. C. L. Harris.

A. M. E. ZION.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. S. B. White.

ST. PAUL AFRICAN METHODIST CHURCH.

11:00 a. m.—Preaching by Rev. J. F. Lupo.

The Bishop requested J. W. Kilgo to preside at the opening of the the afternoon session.

After announcements and the singing of the Doxology the Conference adjourned with the Benediction by L. D. Thompson.

FOURTH DAY—SATURDAY—AFTERNOON SESSION.

Conference was called to order at 2:30 o'clock with J. W. Kilgo in the chair.

Opening devotions were conducted by J. W. Kilgo. J. F. Anderson led in prayer.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

W. B. Garrett read the Statistical Report, answering questions Nos. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32 and 33.

The Board of Education submitted reports Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 through L. E. Wiggins and each in turn was adopted. (See reports.)

H. N. Snyder addressed the Conference on the Christian Education Follow-up Program.

F. E. Dibble read the report of the Commission on Finance. Adopted. (See Report.)

John O. Willson moved that the editors of the minutes be permitted to shorten the reports handed in wherever they find it possible in order to save expense in publishing the minutes. The motion prevailed.

The report of the Board of Finance was read by T. W. Munnerlyn and it was adopted. (See Report.)

On motion of W. R. Bouknight the Board of Finance was authorized to borrow \$200 to give to W. S. Martin who asked for the superannuate relation at the morning session, as all the funds of the board had previously been appropriated.

On motion of J. R. T. Major, C. E. Peele was substituted for Hamlin Etheredge on Committee on Minutes.

Bishop Darlington assumed the chair.

O. M. Abney read the report of the Board of Missions which was adopted. (See Reports.)

The report of the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference was read by J. C. Smith.

J. E. Mahaffey moved to amend the report by substituting concurrence in place of non-concurrence with reference to memorial No 6 in the report.

W. L. Gray moved to lay the amendment on the table. The motion to lay on the table was lost.

After considerable discussion the motion to amend prevailed.

J. C. Roper moved to further amend the report by substituting the word non-concurrence for concurrence with regard to memorial No 4 and substituting concurrence for non-concurrence with regard to memorial No. 7.

After considerable discussion, J. R. T. Major moved to table the motion to amend. The motion to table prevailed.

J. E. Mahaffey moved to amend by changing the wording of one recommendation in memorial No. 1.

On motion of B. R. Turnipseed the amendment was laid on the table.

W. Y. Cooley moved to amend the report by striking the word non-concurrence and substituting concurrence with regard to memorial No. 5.

The amendment was lost.

The report of the Committee as amended was then adopted. (See Report.)

A. E. Holler moved to reconsider the motion to refer the name of E. P. Taylor to the Committee on Conference Relations. The motion prevailed.

The Clemson and Winthrop College Commission made its report through J. C. Roper.

R. E. Stackhouse offered the following amendment to the report:

Whereas, the educational situation in South Carolina makes imperative the building of adequate Churches and Sunday School plants for Clemson and Winthrop Colleges, at as early a date as possible. pulpits of all our Churches within the bounds of the Conference be opened to the pastors at Clemson and Rock Hill, to give information and to take collections and subscriptions for the above mentioned Churches in order to meet conditional donations by the Boards of Church Extension and Missions.

Signed: R. E. STACKHOUSE,
A. E. HOLLER,
LEO D. GILLESPIE,
B. R. TURNIPSEED.

The amendment was accepted by the Commission.

A. E. Holler moved that the report be amended further so as to be put in the budget, and to be handled by the Clemson College Commission. The amendment was adopted.

The original paper as amended was then adopted. (See Reports.)

T. H. Roach, pastor of the Second Baptist Church of Lancaster, was introduced.

Report No. 2 of the Committee on Temperance and Social Service was read by J. B. Kilgore and was adopted. (See Report.)

M. T. Wharton read the report of the Committee on Minutes which was adopted. (See Reports.)

W. J. Snyder read the report of the Board of Church Extension. Adopted. (See Reports.)

The report of the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference was presented through R. E. Stackhouse. It was adopted. (See Report.)

The Committee on District Conference Journals submitted its report through J. W. Lewis. Adopted. (See Reports.)

M. K. Meadors submitted Report No. 2 of the Board of Christian Literature. Adopted. (See Reports.)

J. F. Anderson read the report of the Committee on the American Bible Society. It was adopted. (See Reports.)

The Committee on Sabbath Observance submitted its report through C. W. Watson. Report adopted. (See Reports.)

S. H. Booth read the report of the Committee on Conference Relations. Adopted. (See Report.)

The Ecclesiastical Conference recessed for a short session of the Legal Conference.

The Ecclesiastical Conference reconvened.

A resolution to the effect that the Bible should be read in the public schools of the State each day was presented by B. R. Turnipseed and was adopted. (See Resolutions.)

J. W. Kilgo moved that the above resolutions be published in the Southern Christian Advocate. Carried.

Two memorials to this Conference, one from the Cokesbury and one from the Rock Hill District, having been wrongly directed to the Committee on Memorials to the General Conference, were on motion of J. R. T. Major carried over for consideration until the next session of the Annual Conference.

An offering for S. C. Dunlap amounting to \$130.00 was taken. Conference adjourned with the benediction by A. M. Trawick.

FIFTH DAY—SUNDAY—MEMORIAL SESSION.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

LANCASTER, S. C., November 6, 1921.

Pursuant to adjournment, Conference met in Memorial Session at 3 o'clock this afternoon, M. L. Carlisle in the chair.

Opening devotions were conducted by T. C. O'Dell.

The Committee on Memoirs presented their report.

Memoir of Marion Dargan was read by John O. Willson.

Memoir of J. N. Isom was read by J. B. Traywick.

Memoirs of Mrs. Lewis A. Johnson and Mrs. Richard R. Dagnall were read by J. K. Walker.

Memoir of Bishop Walter R. Lambuth was read by R. E. Stackhouse.

Memoir of Mrs. Jesse A. Clifton was presented by John O. Willson.

Verbal tributes were offered by the following: J. G. Huggin, L. P. McGee, W. C. Kelley, John O. Willson.

The report of the Committee was adopted.

John O. Willson moved that when we adjourn we adjourn to meet at 7:30 this evening. Carried.

The Conference adjourned with the ordination of elders by Bishop Darlington.

FIFTH DAY—NIGHT SESSION.

Conference convened at 7:30 with preaching by A. M. Trawick. Bishop Darlington took the chair and called the Conference to order. The minutes of Saturday afternoon's session and Sunday afternoon's session were read and approved.

Certificates of ordination were handed down by the Bishop as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF ORDINATION.

I, U. V. W. Darlington, one of the Bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, hereby certify that on Sunday, November 6, 1921, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Lancaster, S. C., at the close of the morning service, after a sermon by myself, I ordained to the office of Deacon, John Pinckney Byars, John Leslie Jett, Adam Malachi Smith, Alister Elzy Smith and Whitefield Johnson, traveling preachers.

D. W. Keller, an elder, read the Epistle, and John Leslie Jett, one of the deacons elect, read the Gospel.

On the same day in the same church, at the close of the Memorial service in the afternoon, I ordained to the order of Elder, Choice Leon Harris and Benjamin Herbert Harvey, traveling preachers. I was assisted by R. F. Morris, an elder, who read the Gospel, and L. P.

McGhee, an elder, who read the Epistle, and the following elders: J. B. Traywick, M. M. Brabham, Jno O. Willson, T. C. O'Dell, R. E. Stackhouse, who united in the imposition of hands

Given under my hand and seal this sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord, 1921.

U. V. W. DARLINGTON, (L. S.)

The following Committee requested by the Committee on Sabbath Observance was announced: J. C. Roper, J. Paul Patton, and J. B. Connelly.

M. L. Carlisle offered the following Resolutions of Thanks which were adopted by a rising vote.

Knowing the utter impossibility of adequately expressing what is in our hearts, we yet wish to express to the city and citizens of Lancaster our deep appreciation of them and their hospitality during the session of this Conference.

Therefore, Resolved, That we pray for them peace and the blessing of God "that maketh rich and addeth no sorrow therewith."

They have fed us with earthly food; may the Lord give them the Bread of Life. They have taken us into their homes; may the Lord receive them into the "Everlasting Habitations."

They have crowned us with their kindness and regard; may they receive the crown of life which the Lord shall give.

Signed: MARK L. CARLISLE,
A. N. BRUNSON,
J. L. HARLEY.

A. E. Holler offered the following resolutions with regard to the Winthrop and Clemson Churches which were adopted.

Resolved, That we authorize the Joint Commission to build at Winthrop and Clemson College authority to meet whatever financial plan that might be proposed by the South Carolina Conference to meet the conditional offer of the General Board.

Signed: A. E. HOLLER,
J. C. ROPER.

Question 6. "Who are received by transfer from other conferences? was called and answered. A. P. Smith in the class of the fourth year from the Memphis Conference.

J. Paul Patton was nominated to take the place of Hamlin Etheridge on the Committee of Examination for the second year.

The Bishop addressed the Conference, after which he announced the following memorandum of changes in circuit lines.

CHANGES IN BOUNDARY LINES

District Lines.

Take Capers' Chapel and Chapin church from Irmo Ct. in the Columbia District and attach them to Pomaria Ct. in the Cokesbury District.

Take Antioch church from Carlisle Ct. in the Spartanburg District and attach to the Blackstock Ct. in the Rock Hill District.

Take Quaker church from Cross Anchor Ct. in the Spartanburg District and attach to the Whitmire Ct. in the Cokesbury District.

Charge Lines.

ANDERSON DISTRICT.

Take Bethel church from Bethel Ct. and form a charge calling it Bethel Station.

Take Union Grove, Trinity and New Hope from Bethel Ct. and Toxaway from Orrville Ct. and establish a new charge calling it Toxaway.

Re-establish Smith's Chapel as a church. Take Center and Townville from Westminster and Friendship from Seneca and with Smith's Chapel establish a new charge calling it Townville.

Take Walhalla Mill from Walhalla Ct. and attach to Walhalla Station.

COKEBURY DISTRICT.

Take Republican and Beulah from McCormick and attach to Plum Branch Ct.

Take Whitmire church from Whitmire Ct. and form a new charge calling it Whitmire Station.

COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

Change the name of Rose Hill to Grace.

Attach Palmetto church to Green Street.

GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

Establish a new charge at Clinton and call it Sloan Street.

Take Owings from Gray Court and attach to Fountain Inn.

Change the name of Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon to Bleachery Ct.

Take Glenwood and Easley Mill from Easley, form a new charge and call it Glenwood and Easley Mills.

Change West Greenville to Monaghan and Woodside.

ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

Take New Zion from New Zion and Cannon's and attach to Blackburg.

Take Cannon's from New Zion and Cannon's and attach to York, thus abolishing New Zion and Cannon's as a charge.

Change the name of Manchester and Highland Park to Bethel and Park.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

Take Glendale from Clifton and Glendale and Ben Avon from Whitney and form a new charge calling it Glendale Ct.

Take Bethel church from the Chesnee Ct. and attach to Whitney calling the charge Whitney and Bethel.

After singing "Am I a Soldier of the Cross," J. F. Anderson led in prayer. Bishop Darlington then announced the appointments, thereby answering minute question 36.

Question 36. Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See appointments.)

The Conference adjourned sine die with the benediction by Bishop Darlington.

U. V. W. Darlington

President.

L. Phett Turnipspeedy.

Secretary.

MINUTES.

Of the Seventh Session of the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, held at Lancaster, S. C., beginning November 2, 1921, ending November 6, 1921. Bishop U. V. W. Darlington, President; B. Rhett Turnipseed, Secretary; Post Office of Secretary, Spartanburg, S. C.

I. PROBATIONERS.

1. Who are admitted on trial? Larkin Augustus Carter, James Smiley Edwards, James Elijah Ellis, Numa M. Phillips, Francis Victor Robertson, Herbert Willis Sanders, Robert Marvin Tucker, Roy Omer Webb. Edward Fountain Mosely, a student at Oxford University, could not appear before the Committee, so he continues in this class; William Everett Taylor continues in this class.

2. Who remain on trial? William Glenn Smith, John Thurman Frazer, Beverly Henry Tucker, Robert Carl Griffith, John Wofford Cooley. James Thomas Lawrence received from the Baptist Church as a traveling preacher pursues his studies in this class. William Fred Harris, a student at Emory University, could not appear before the Committee so he continues in class of Second Year. R. L. Rountree and C. P. Carter continue in this class.

3. Who are discontinued? None.

II. CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP.

4. Who are admitted into full connection? John Pinckney Byars, John Leslie Jett, Adam Malachi Smith, Alister Elzy Smith, Whitfield Johnson, Fritz C. Beach.

5. Who are readmitted? None.

6. Who are received by transfer from other Conferences? J. C. Diggs, an elder from Florida Conference; F. C. Owen, an elder from North Georgia Conference; J. A. Chandler, an elder from North Georgia Conference; A. M. Trawick, an elder from Memphis Conference; A. P. Smith, Class of 4th Year, from Tennessee Conference.

7. Who are received from other Churches as traveling preachers? None.

8. Who are located this year? James Waite and S. C. Dunlap at their own request.

9. Who have withdrawn or been expelled? None.

10. Who are transferred to other Conferences? Hamlin Etheredge to S. C. Conference; J. W. Frazer to Alabama Conference.

11. What preachers have died during the past year? J. N. Isom, Marion Dargan.

III. ORDERS.

12. Who are the deacons of one year? Pinckney Lomo Bouknight, John Foster Farr, Daniel Addison Jeffcoat, James Marion Mason, James Ernest Merchant, Landy Wood Shealy, Roy Woods Wilkes, Joseph Dempsey Griffin. William Alfred Duckworth pursues his studies with this class.

13. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected deacons? Traveling preachers John Pinckney Byars, John

Leslie Jett, Adam Malachi Smith, Alister Elzie Smith, Whitfield Johnson. Fritz C. Beach, already a deacon, belongs to class Third Year. R. F. Cogburn remains in class of Third Year.

Local preachers? None.

14. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained deacons? Traveling preachers John Pinckney Byars, John Leslie Jett, Adam Malachi Smith, Alister Elzie Smith, Whitfield Johnson.

Local preachers? None.

15. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been elected elders? Traveling preachers Choice Leon Harris, Benjamin Herbert Harvey.

Local preachers? None.

16. What traveling preachers and what local preachers have been ordained elders? Traveling preachers Choice Leon Harris, Benjamin Herbert Harvey.

Local preachers? None.

IV. CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

17. Are all the preachers blameless in their life and official administration? Their names were called one by one, in Open Conference, and their characters examined and passed.

18. Who are supernumerary? M. G. Latham, D. R. Roof, A. H. Best.

19. Who are superannuated? J. F. Anderson, M. M. Brabham, R. F. Bryant, J. W. Bailey, J. R. Copeland, L. L. Inabinet, J. B. Traywick, J. W. Neely, W. S. Martin.

V. STATISTICS.

20. What is the number of districts, of pastoral charges, and of Churches in this Conference? Districts, 6; Pastoral Charges, 150; Churches, 428.

21. How many have been licensed to preach, and what is the number of local preachers and members? Licensed, 13; Local Preachers, 63; Members, 64,648.

22. How many adults and how many infants have been baptized during the year? Adults, 2,323; Infants, 1,410.

23. What is the number of Epworth Leagues and of Epworth League members? Epworth Leagues, 115; Epworth League Members, 3,878.

24. What is the number of Sunday schools, of Sunday school officers and teachers, and of Sunday school scholars enrolled during the year? Sunday Schools, 381; Officers and Teachers, 3,724; Scholars Enrolled, 52,783.

25. What is the number of Woman's Missionary Societies, and what is the number of members of the same? Societies, 258; Members, 7,108.

26. What are the educational statistics? Institutions, 6; Teachers, 97; Students, 1,426; Value of Property, \$2,126,161; Endowment, \$244,191.

EDUCATIONAL STATISTICS.

Upper South Carolina Annual Conference, held at Lancaster, November 2-6, 1921.

Name of Institution.	Teachers.	Students.	Value of Property.	Endowment.
Wofford College	17	331	\$ 402,550	\$200,491
Columbia College	27	318	502,750	
Lander College	26	287	378,500	31,200
Wofford Fitting School.....	9	143	100,000	
Carlisle School	10	160	160,000	5,000
Textile Indus. Institute.....	8	187	582,359	7,500
Total.....	97	1,126	\$2,126,161	\$244,191

VI. FINANCES.

27. What has been contributed for the following causes? Foreign Missions, \$11,291; Home and Conference Missions, \$17,363; Church Extensions, \$8,652; Education, \$13,586; Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund, \$9,959; American Bible Society, \$366; General Conference Expense, \$910; By the Woman's Missionary Society, \$46,731.

28. What has been contributed for the support of the ministry? Bishops, \$3,643; Presiding Elders, \$20,883; Preachers in Charge, \$218,334.

29. What is the grand total contributed for all purposes from all sources in this Conference this year? \$760,967.

VII. CHURCH PROPERTY.

30. What is the number of houses of worship, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? Houses of Worship, 390; Value \$2,684,036; Indebtedness, \$183,692.

31. What is the number of parsonages, their value, and the amount of indebtedness thereon? District Parsonages, 6; Their Value, \$92,000; Indebtedness, \$1,700; Parsonages Belonging to Pastoral Charges, 116; Their Value, \$497,941; Indebtedness, \$47,723.

32. What amount of insurance is carried on Church property, and what has been paid out in premiums? Insurance Carried, \$1,268,405; Premiums Paid, \$6,772.

33. How many churches and parsonages have been damaged or destroyed during the year, what is the amount of damage, and what has been collected thereon? Churches and Parsonages Damaged, 3; Amount of Damage, \$172; Collected, \$246.

VIII. MISCELLANEOUS.

34. Who is elected Conference Lay Leader, and what is the report of the Board on Lay Activities? C. P. Hammond.

35. Where shall the next session of the Conference be held? Gaffney, South Carolina.

36. Where are the preachers stationed this year? (See Appointments).

APPOINTMENTS.

Upper South Carolina Conference.

(Names of undergraduates are in italics; letters following names designate Conference class; numerals indicate years on charge.)

ANDERSON DISTRICT—A. E. Holler—Presiding Elder—2.

Anderson:

Bethel—*A. M. Smith*—4—c.
 Orville—*J. P. Byars*—1—c.
 St. John's—*L. P. McGee*—1.
 Toxaway—*James Renfro*—Supply—1.
 Antreville—*W. A. Duckworth*—2—d.
 Calhoun Falls—*J. T. Lawrence*—2—b.
 Central—*W. S. Goodwin*—4.
 Clemson College—*A. E. Driggers*—4.
 Honea Path—*J. E. Mahaffey*—2.
 Lowndesville—*N. G. Ballenger*—3.
 Pelzer—*W. L. Mulliken*—4.
 Pendleton—*J. T. Miller*—2.
 Piedmont—*A. P. Smith*—1—d.
 Princeton—*G. G. Harley*—2.
 Seneca—*H. B. Hardy*—2.
 Starr—*J. L. Jett*—1—c.
 Townville—*To be supplied*.
 Walhalla—*A. W. Barr*—1.
 Walhalla Circuit—*D. A. Jeffcoat*—2—d.
 Westminster—*J. S. Edwards*—1—a.
 Williamston and Relton—*J. S. Henley*—2.
 Student Emory University—*W. F. Harris*—2—Bethel, Q. C.

COKEsbURY DISTRICT—E. S. Jones—P. E.—1.

Abbeville—*C. E. Peele*—3.
 Abbeville Circuit—*J. B. Kilgore*—1.
 Butler—*A. E. Smith*—2—c.
 Cokesbury—*J. C. Cunningham*—1.
 Greenwood:
 Greenwood Mills—*W. H. Murray*—2.
 Main Street—*A. N. Brunson*—1.
 Greenwood Circuit—*J. M. Meetze*—1.
 Kinards—*L. W. Shealy*—2—d.
 McCormick—*M. T. Wharton*—1.
 McKendree—*R. M. Tucker*—2—a.
 Newberry:
 Central—*J. L. Daniel*—2.
 Mollohan and Oakland—*Paul Kennett*—Supply—2.
 O'Neale Street—*W. F. Gault*—2.
 Newberry Circuit—*G. F. Clarkson*—4.
 Ninety-Six—*O. A. Jeffcoat*—4.
 Phoenix—*R. L. Doggett*—1.
 Plum Branch—*R. L. Rountree*—4—c.
 Pomaria—*H. H. Merritt*—Supply—1.
 Prosperity—*J. D. Griffin*—4—d.
 Saluda—*J. L. Singleton*—3.
 Waterloo—*J. F. Lupo*—1.
 Whitmire—*J. P. Simpson*—3.
 Whitmire Circuit—*D. C. Gregory*—Supply—1.

President of Lander College—Jno. O. Willson—18—Main St., Q. C.
 Professor at Lander College—R. O. Lawton—7—Main St., Q. C.
 Assistant Sunday School Editor—L. F. Beaty—28—Main St., Q. C.
 Associate Head Master Carlisle School—W. J. Snyder—2—Main St., Q. C.

COLUMBIA DISTRICT—J. R. T. Major—P. E.—2.

Aiken and Williston—G. H. Hodges—2.
 Aiken Circuit—F. L. Frazier,—*Supply*—1.
 Batesburg—T. W. Munneryn—1.
 Columbia:
 Brookland—R. C. Griffith—1—b.
 Edgewood—W. S. Pettus—*Supply*—1.
 Epworth—*To be supplied*.
 Grace—E. T. Hodges—2.
 Green Street—R. L. Keaton—2.
 Main Street—R. S. Truesdale—4.
 Shandon—R. F. Morris—4.
 Washington Street—M. L. Carlisle—2.
 Waverly—A. M. Doggett—1.
 Whaley Street—W. H. Lewis—1.
 Edgefield—G. W. M. Taylor—3.
 Fairfield—R. E. Sharpe—4.
 Gilbert—L. W. Johnson—3.
 Graniteville—G. T. Hughes—1.
 Irmo—M. A. Cleckly, *Supply*—3.
 Johnson—D. W. Keller—4.
 Langley—J. T. Frazier—1—b.
 Leesville—J. H. Brown—4—D. R. Roof, Supernumerary.
 Leesville Circuit—T. F. Gibson—2.
 Lexington Circuit—H. A. Whitten—2.
 North Augusta—T. C. O'Dell—1.
 Richland—A. A. Merritt—*Supply*—3.
 Ridge Spring—F. C. Beach—3—c.
 Ridgeway—James Waite—1.
 Swansea—J. W. Cooley—1—b.
 Wagener—D. E. Jeffcoat—1.
 Editor of the Southern Christian Advocate—R. E. Stackhouse—2—
 Shandon, Q. C.
 Student Emory University—J. E. Ellis—2—a—Main Street—Q. C.
 Agent Superannuate Home Fund—E. P. Taylor—Batesburg, Q. C.

GREENVILLE DISTRICT—J. M. Steadman—P. E.—4.

Clinton:

Broad Street—L. E. Wiggins—2.
 Sloan Street—B. M. Wynn—*Supply*—1.

Easley:

First Church—J. Paul Patton—3.
 Glenwood and Easley Mills—W. E. Taylor—1—a.
 South Easley—W. B. Justus—1.
 Fountain Inn—W. H. Polk—1.
 Gray Court—C. W. Watson—3.

Greenville:

Bethel and Poe—B. H. Harvey—1.
 Bleachery Circuit—J. H. Bell—*Supply*—2.
 Brandon and Poinsett—C. L. Harris—1.
 Buncombe Street—C. C. Herbert—3.
 Choice Street and Mills—J. W. McElrath—*Supply*—3.

- Duncan and Judson—*P. L. Bouknight*—4—*d.*
 Hampton Avenue—H. O. Chambers—1.
 Monaghan and Woodside—S. B. White—1.
 St. Paul—W. B. Garrett—4.
 Greenville Circuit—M. M. Brooks—3.
 Greer—O. M. Abney—2.
 Laurens—P. F. Kilgo—2.
 Laurens Circuit—Foster Speer—2.
 Liberty—E. W. Mason—2.
 Norris—J. W. Pryor—*Supply*—1.
 Pickens—J. C. Diggs—2.
 Pickens Circuit—D. P. Hudson—*Supply*—4.
 Simpsonville—S. H. Booth—1.
 South Greer—J. F. Farr—1—*d.*
 Traveler's Rest—C. R. White—*Supply*—1.
 Student at Oxford University, England—E. F. Moseley—2—Laurens,
 Q. C.
 Conference Evangelist—C. M. Morris—Greer, Q. C.
- ROCK HILL DISTRICT—G. C. Leonard—P. E.—2.
 Blacksburg—M. K. Meadors—3.
 Blackstock—J. W. Shell—2.
 Chester:
 Baldwin Mill—S. J. McConnell—*Supply*—2.
 Bethel—Henry Stokes—2.
 Chester Circuit—R. C. Boulware—2.
 Clover—J. G. Huggin—2.
 East Lancaster—J. A. Bledsoe—4.
 Fort Lawn—R. W. Wilkes—2—*d.*
 Fort Mill—W. R. Bouknight—4.
 Great Falls—J. E. Brown—3.
 Hickory Grove—J. W. Lewis—1—M. G. Latham, Supernumerary.
 Lancaster—E. R. Mason—4.
 Lancaster Circuit—F. V. Robertson—1—*a.*
 North Rock Hill Circuit—W. F. Johnson—1—*c.*
 Richburg—A. Q. Rice—2.
 Rock Hill:
 Bethel and Park—H. E. Griffin—*Supply*—1.
 St. John's—J. W. Speake—3—R. L. Holroyd—1—Junior Preacher.
 West Main Street—C. P. Carter—1—*b.*
 Rock Hill Circuit—W. P. Meadors—1.
 Van Wyck—W. C. Kelley—1.
 Winnsboro—J. D. Holler—2—R. F. Revis—*Supply*—Junior Preacher
 —2.
 York—J. K. Walker—2.
 Conference Secretary of Education—J. C. Roper—4—Bethel, Q. C.
 Conference Missionary Secretary—J. W. Speake—1.

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT—W. A. FAIRY—P. E.—1.

- Buffalo—R. C. Webb—1—*a.*
 Campobello—J. H. Montgomery—3.
 Carlisle—L. A. Carter—1—*a.*
 Chesnee—N. M. Phillips—1—*a.*
 Clifton—F. G. Whitlock—1.
 Cowpens—J. M. Mason—1—*d.*
 Cross Anchor—F. C. Owens—1.
 Duncan Circuit—P. R. Kilgo—2.

- Enoree—B. M. Robertson—2.
 Gaffney:
 Buford Street—A. L. Gunter—1.
 Limestone Street—W. M. Harden—1.
 Gaffney Circuit—J. E. Strickland—2.
 Glendale—H. B. Koon—*Supply*—1.
 Inman—W. Y. Cooley—2.
 Jonesville—S. T. Blackman—5.
 Kelton—J. F. Golightly—4. *Success*
 Pacolet Circuit—J. H. Manly—2—A. H. Best, Supernumerary.
 Pacolet Mills—*W. G. Smith*—1—b.
 Spartanburg:
 Bethel—F. E. Dibble—4. *R. J. M. M.*
 Central—B. R. Turnipseed—1.
 Drayton and Beaumont—*To be supplied.*
 Duncan—J. B. Connelly—3.
 El. Bethel—*J. E. Merchant*—1—d.
 Saxon—M. B. Patrick—1.
 Whitney and Bethel—*B. H. Tucker*—2—b;
 Tucapau—*H. W. Sanders*—1—a. *W. H. Sanders*
 Union:
 Bethel—*R. F. Cogburn*—2—c.
 Grace—J. W. Kilgo—1. *G. M. M.*
 Green Street—J. B. Chick—6.
 Unity and Sardis—J. A. Chandler—1.
 Woodruff—W. M. Owings—4. *W. M. Owings*
 Textile Industrial Institute—D. E. Camak—11, President—Saxon, Q. C.
 Conference Sunday School Secretary—L. D. Gillespie—Central, Q. C.
 —4.
 Conference Evangelist—J. L. Harley—Central, Q. C.—7.
 Southern Home Institute—S. T. Creech—President—Central, Q. C.—4.
 Professor at Wofford College—A. M. Traywick—Central, Q. C.—1.
 Transferred—J. W. Fraser, to the Alabama Conference; Hamlin
 Etheredge, to the South Carolina Conference.
 Received by transfer—J. C. Diggs, from the Florida Conference; J.
 A. Chandler, from the North Georgia Conference; F. C. Owen, from the
 North Georgia Conference; A. P. Smith, from the Memphis Conference;
 A. M. Trawick, from the Tennessee Conference.



REPORTS.

Report of Managers of Epworth Orphanage.

DEAR BRETHREN:

As Chairman of the Board of Managers, it becomes my duty to submit to you reports of the Orphanage for the year ending September 30, 1921.

It gives me pleasure to state that the Board of Managers is doing effective work; every member takes a deep, personal interest in the cause of the orphans; to each is allotted a share in doing a part to make the Orphanage a credit to the Church.

To attain this end there is, besides an efficient Executive Committee of four, a Committee on Expenditures, Improvements and General Needs of the Institution, one on Finance, another on School and Recreation, and one on Sanitation and Health. In this way each member fills an important part in carrying on this work of service.

Early in the year Rev. T. C. O'Dell, Superintendent, stated to the Board that he would like to be relieved of the active duties of Superintendent. In carrying out his wishes, the Board elected Prof. W. D. Roberts, who came to us as Superintendent on July 1st, with the highest credentials. Brother O'Dell was elected Field Representative for the remainder of the Conference year.

The Board greatly appreciates the faithful work of the Rev. T. C. O'Dell and his unselfish labors in the interests of the orphans, and it parts with him, as he again enters the active work of the ministry, with the fervent hope that he may long be spared to do effective work for the Church.

I am pleased to report that Prof. Roberts has entered upon his new duties with energy and earnestness and has already proved that his work will be of the first order in the management of Epworth Orphanage.

Once more I wish to emphasize the necessity of funds being provided for the construction of the Administration Building, which will, with the present equipment, furnish school, dining room and kitchen facilities for a family of 450 children.

That there are today more than 100 orphans on the waiting list, who cannot be received into the Home simply on account of the fact that \$150,000 is lacking with which to carry our building program into effect, is a sad and shameful admission to make. A decided falling off in monthly collections, and the inability of many of those to whom our funds have been loaned to meet the interest on their obligations when due, have caused us serious concern.

With better times ahead, with the organization of improved methods of getting funds, and relying on the need of the child as our greatest asset, we enter the coming year with hope, and with an incentive to do our utmost to make Epworth Orphanage what it should be.

Below will be found reports from the Superintendent and Field Representative above referred to.

Respectfully submitted,

GEO. W. WILLIAMS,
Chairman Board of Managers and
Trustees of Epworth Orphanage.

Report of Superintendent, Oct. 1, 1921.

To the Board of Control of Epworth Orphanage:

DEAR BRETHREN:

When I assumed the duties of Superintendent of Epworth Orphanage on July 1st, 1921, I brought with me the idea that the primary purpose of this Institution is to train boys and girls to become useful members of Society. Of course an Institution of this character must necessarily furnish food, clothing, and shelter for homeless children; but the big job that Epworth Orphanage has undertaken, as I see it, is to educate these children, who have been forced by circumstances to seek a home with us.

We have arranged a definite schedule for every department of our work, and every one, workmen included, is absolutely required to follow these schedules. We had some difficulty at first in getting the children to fall in line, but the schedules are working fairly well now. We believe every child should be taught to move on the minute when duty calls, and we are sparing no efforts to teach this lesson to every child under our care.

A number of problems in discipline have arisen, but I feel that we have dealt with them in such a way as to make the discipline of the Institution comparatively easy to handle in the future.

MORAL AND RELIGIOUS CONDITIONS.

When we began work at Epworth, prayers were held every morning immediately after breakfast, but at this hour the dairy boys were at work. So we immediately changed to the evening hour, when every child and worker on the Campus could attend prayers. We asked each matron to establish the family altar in every home. Each child who is old enough, takes his turn in reading some verses from the Bible, then they all kneel and repeat the Lord's Prayer together. We have reorganized the Sunday School, and we believe that we are now having some real teaching done in this department. We have preaching services every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Ministers of the various Methodist churches in the city have been kind enough to preach for us.

SCHOOL.

We have added two teachers to our Faculty, in addition to organizing a Kindergarten Department under a competent teacher. In this way every child, from the youngest to the eldest, is now in school every day. We exercised the greatest care in selecting our teachers, and I believe every one of them is vitally interested in the work she is doing, and is wielding a wholesome influence in the lives of our children. We are emphasizing the school side of the work, and we do not allow anything to take a child out of school.

HEALTH.

The health of our entire family has been and continues to be excellent.

DAIRY AND STOCK FARM.

The farm and dairy have been combined. The man in charge of the farm was put in charge of both the dairy and the farm, with an assistant. This manager's salary was made \$100.00, and that of his assistant \$25.00. These salaries are for the same work done formerly by four men at salaries of \$100., \$75., \$30., and \$30. In other words the change saves \$110.00 per month.

All milk used for our dining room is now bottled direct from the cooler at the dairy. In this way every child gets an equal share of cream, and of course this is a much more sanitary method of handling milk than formerly used. Whole milk is served twice daily instead of once as formerly.

Our herd is now averaging sixty-eight gallons per day.

By exercising great care in selecting feed for our dairy herd, and by reducing the cost of hired help, as indicated above, we were enabled to reduce the cost of producing milk per gallon from 32.5 cents in July to 18.6 cents for September.

The cost of feeding our hogs for the quarter was \$96.75. This low cost was due to our being able to get swill from Camp Jackson for a number of weeks.

STOCK ON HAND.

Cows 27, bulls 2, heifers 10, calves 8, hogs 47, shoats 16, pigs 41.

FARM AND GARDEN.

This has been a fairly successful year for our farm. We grew a sufficient quantity of ensilage corn to fill the eighty-ton silo at the dairy. We have harvested 50 bushels of peas, between 500 and 600 bushels of corn, and about twenty tons of pea vine hay. The sweet potato crop promises to be only fair. The seasons during the past year have been unfavorable for our truck. However, we have had an abundance of mutton corn, field peas, two crops of butter beans, string beans, turnips, etc.

PRINTING SHOP

Our Printing Department has been kept busy with work during the past quarter. Nearly One Thousand Dollars worth of work was done, netting a profit of \$161.34. We are keeping right up with collections in this department.

IMPROVEMENTS.

We have built a potato storage house, with a capacity of one thousand bushels.

The walls of the Infirmary we found in very bad shape. So we had them recalcimined, and the wood work repainted.

A telephone has been installed in the Infirmary.

The ladies of the Methodist churches of Columbia, S. C., furnished funds with which to construct a flower pit. We have built a large concrete pit, in which to keep the beautiful pot plants from the various homes on the Campus.

The Dantzler Home has been completed. This modern home adds materially to the appearance of the Campus. We have taken in a sufficient number of girls to fill the rooms on the second floor.

Below is given the financial statement for the entire year, ending October 1, 1921:

Cash Receipts.

Balance in Bank, Sept. 30, 1920.....	\$ 497.33
Rents.....	491.00
Interest.....	15,722.16
Contributions	28,384.78
Printing Office.....	2,320.38
Marble Yard.....	4,515.81
Dairy and Farm.....	1,410.29
War Savings Stamps sold.....	993.80

Marble Yard note (\$2,500.00) payment on same.....	200.00
Borrowed Money, Old Administration.....	16,000.00
Borrowed Money, New Administration.....	8,000.00
Miscellaneous Receipts.....	834.65
Total.....	\$79,370.20

Cash Disbursements.

Interest paid	\$ 486.20
Provisions.....	11,131.50
Maintenance Building and Campus.....	6,502.10
Automobile	1,250.76
School salaries and supplies.....	6,601.60
Dairy and Farm.....	11,566.52
Clothing	4,334.85
Salaries, Matrons, etc.....	11,478.35
Water	697.22
Light and Fuel.....	4,404.14
Kitchen supplies.....	497.05
Traveling expense.....	111.98
Traveling Representative.....	687.50
Marble Yard expense.....	6,611.27
Printing Office.....	3,238.60
Refund Contributions	48.00
Poultry Yard	133.78
Office expense, salaries, expenses, etc.....	2,532.86
Laundry	41.21
Advertising	23.04
Insurance.....	1,097.74
Doctors and Drugs.....	762.53
Board Meetings.....	289.94
Miscellaneous expense	2,624.75
Total.....	\$77,153.49
Balance in Bank, Oct. 1, 1921.....	\$2,039.52
Cash on Hand, Oct. 1, 1921.....	177.19
Total.....	\$2,216.71

INVESTMENTS.

Securities with:

Home Bank and Trust Company.....	\$250,749.13
(Only interest on this amount available)	

The following Mortgages, etc., subject to call:

Enterprise Building & Loan Association.....	\$11,000.00
J. B. Penland.....	5,000.00
Mrs. A. F. Terry.....	10,000.00
Melton & Belser.....	8,000.00
Columbia College	15,000.00
B. B. Davis.....	2,100.00
Liberty Bonds	2,050.00
Anderson Motor Company, Stock.....	100.00
	\$53,250.00

Administration Building Fund in Banks as follows:

National Loan and Exchange Bank.....	\$14,184.86
Deposited with Standard Building and Loan Association.....	18,600.00

Bank of Saluda, Certificate of Deposit.....	4,000.00
Bank of Dillon, Certificate of Deposit.....	660.87
Bank of Latta, Certificate of Deposit.....	913.91
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	\$91,609.64

As a result of special campaign last October, for a Work Day Contribution, which would be large enough to erect the Administration Building, \$47,308.64 was collected. Of this amount \$24,000.00 was used during the past year to meet ordinary expenses. The balance, \$23,308.64, is included in the above cash in Banks.

We are sorry that we have not been able to do more for our children and the Institution during the past Quarter. We have made some mistakes, but we have kept busy on the job.

Respectfully submitted,

W. D. ROBERTS,
Superintendent.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 1.

We, the Board of Education, of the Upper South Carolina Conference, have had under consideration reports concerning the Christian Education Movement from the General Board of Education and from the Conference Educational Secretary, and respectfully offer the following recommendations:

First. We are gratified at the splendid progress that has been made towards the attainment of the five objectives of the Christian Education Movement. When all of the conditions are taken into account, we believe that what has been accomplished is little short of marvelous. It is a great tribute to the faithful service and loyalty of the preachers and people participating.

Second. We desire to emphasize that the campaign is not closed and must not be until the entire quota for this Conference is raised. If our institutions needed \$33,000,000 a year ago, the movement has multiplied that need by awakening in our people a desire for Christian Education. The schools of the Church last year turned away 5,000 for the lack of facilities; they probably have lost much more heavily this year for the same reason. We are, therefore, in the midst of an incomplete task. Every charge in Methodism has been assigned a definite part in a great coöperative effort of the Church to solve its educational problem, and it is hereby declared to be the policy of the Upper South Carolina Conference to endeavor in every reasonable way to carry forward to successful completion its share in the great task.

Third. That the presiding elders in the first round of Quarterly Conferences in answer to the question "What is being done for Christian Education," secure accurate reports from Pastors and Church Collectors or Directors concerning the quota and the amounts already subscribed, and concerning the general economic condition in each charge. We further recommend wherever practicable that arrangements be made to give each charge the opportunity to finish its quota if possible before the meeting of the General Conference in May, 1922.

Fourth. That we urge our people to pay promptly their educational subscriptions when they fall due, that pastors and presiding elders do what they can to secure prompt payment, and that as most subscriptions fall due on November 1st we fix the week beginning November 28 as Pay-Up Week. The schools and colleges of our Conference are

sorely in need of money, and as a means of relief the coöperation of pastor, presiding elder, and people is urged in an effort to secure the prompt payment of pledges.

Fifth. That if Church Collectors in any charge or charges have not been appointed they should be elected at the first Quarterly Conference of the ensuing year.

Sixth. That where the original pledge cards have not been sent to the Educational Secretary the pastor arrange to have them sent to him at an early date.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 2.

A study of the reports submitted to your Board by the various schools and colleges under the care of our Conference reveals many interesting and important facts. The past twelve months have been very trying for them as it has been for every institution which required money to operate. But the men who have been at the head have managed to keep their heads well above water. Each school is in good condition and the prospect for the future is most encouraging, notwithstanding the hard times. Every institution, save one, reports a decrease in attendance at the opening this fall. The largest decrease was in our preparatory schools. But in each case the president remarks that the falling off in attendance was not nearly so large as he had feared on account of the financial depression which has obtained throughout the year. In almost every case the indebtedness has been decreased by a substantial margin. Progress made in the way of improvements to buildings and added equipment accounts for the failure to decrease the indebtedness in two cases. At Wofford a notable forward step has been taken in adding the Department of Religious Education. One fire loss has been reported, that of the Mary Ann Bamberg Home at the Carlisle School. There was insurance however which largely covered the loss. Each institution reports a fine moral tone among the student body. The Methodists of South Carolina have just reason to be proud of their schools and colleges. There are no better anywhere in the country. But the colleges have not the same reason to be proud of their constituents. They have allowed them to struggle on through the years handicapped by debt and poor equipment. Like Israelites in Egypt, they have been required to make bricks without straw. Only during the past year has any serious effort been made to relieve these trying conditions. The Educational Movement while not reaching the goal that was set has brought long needed relief and has proved to the noble army of men and women laboring in our schools and colleges that we are behind them, that we have at last waked up to our responsibility, and that henceforth we will do better things for them.

Following is the detailed report from our educational institutions:

Wofford College.—Dr. Snyder reports that Wofford has never opened with finer prospects than it has this fall. He says: "The enrollment is far beyond what we expected and the spirit of the student body leads us to believe that the year is going to be characterized by good work and good conduct to an exceptional degree. In particular the students seem to be laying hold of their religious activities with more than usual enthusiasm and seriousness of purpose." The enrollment to

date for the present session is 331, which is only 12 short of the total enrollment last year. Seventeen professors and instructors are employed. An advance step has been taken this year by the addition of the new department of Religious Education and the college is fortunate in securing Rev. A. M. Trawick as its head. The president says: "The addition of the new department of Religious Education and the high quality of the man in scholarship, experience and sound and approved piety, whom we have chosen to be our first Professor of Religious Education, Rev. A. M. Trawick, strengthens the college in its purpose to do the kind of work which the Church expects it to do." The total income of the college last year was \$55,700.10. It has a productive endowment of \$200,491.10 and loan funds amounting to \$16,968.17. The value of grounds, buildings and equipment is \$402,550.00 and the present total indebtedness amounts to \$27,829.09. There are quick assets, however, sufficient to take care of \$20,000.00 of this indebtedness. There are fourteen ministerial students and six student volunteers. Dr. Trawick, who has had wide experience on many college campuses, says that the religious atmosphere at Wofford is the finest he has ever seen anywhere.

Columbia College. President Guilds reports the largest enrollment in the history of the college—318. Of this number 275 live in the college and 43 are day pupils. The dormitories are taxed to capacity. It is to be noted that this is the only one of our institutions that reports an increased opening enrollment. The total enrollment for last year was 328, only ten more than the opening enrollment this year. A group of twenty-one women and six men constitute the faculty. The college maintains a department of Religious Education which did good work last year under Professor Mason Crum. This year Miss Marie McDonald has been employed to assist him, and she brings her splendid equipment and wide experience to strengthen this department. Specialization courses covering the needs of all the departments of Sunday school work are offered. The president says: "I know of nothing the college is undertaking that will pay back larger dividends to the Church than the work we are doing in our Religious Education Department." The moral and religious tone of the student body is most gratifying. The religious activities of the students include work in the Y. W. C. A., weekly group prayer meetings, voluntary Bible study groups, conducting chapel exercises once a week and conducting the devotions in the dining room each evening. There are three volunteers for the foreign mission field and twenty-six for various phases of religious work at home. A special revival service is being planned to begin on November 8th. Rev. G. T. Harmon will conduct it. The total receipts of the college last year were \$102,685.00. The value of the grounds, building and equipment is given at \$502,750.00. The total indebtedness of the institution is \$89,000.00 which represents a slight increase over last year's report, due to the expenditure last summer of \$15,000.00 in permanent improvements on the administration building. The second and third floors which had been simply walled in and have never been used have been completed and there have been added in consequence five new class rooms, an elegant Y. W. C. A. room, splendid studios for Art, Home Economics, Violin and Voice, four large literary society halls and enlarged library quarters.

Lander College. The enrollment at the opening of the college this fall was only thirteen short of the high record of a year ago when all available space was taken—287. Last year's total enrollment was 318. The president reports the type of students this year as exceptionally good and that he has every reason to expect a very satisfactory year.

The college offers splendid opportunities for Christian service. Besides the regular course in religious pedagogy, there is an active Y. W. C. A., a missionary society and an Epworth League, the latter only recently organized. The moral tone of the student body is fine. There are twenty-six professors and instructors. The total income of the college last year was \$76,933.90 which includes \$8,000.00 paid on the building fund. The value of the grounds, buildings and equipment is given at \$378,500.00. There is a small endowment of \$31,200, a loan fund of \$7,000.00 forming part of this. The indebtedness is \$41,000.00, which represents a decrease of \$5,000 over last year. The building planned and begun last year was curtailed owing to the greatly increased cost of labor and material. This institution which has made such a splendid contribution to the Christian womanhood of our State is rounding out its fiftieth year of existence and we are pleased to learn that plans are being made to celebrate in a fitting manner its Jubilee Year. We rejoice to know that Dr. John O. Willson's health has improved and pray that his life and strength may be spared to guide the destinies of Lander for many years to come. 13 foreign volunteers, 22 life service are in The Student Body.

Wofford Fitting School. Headmaster Herbert reports an enrollment thus far this year of 143. The total enrollment last year was 230. There are seven academic and two military instructors in the institution. The school had an income last year of \$15,707.00. The total value of grounds, buildings and equipment is placed at \$100,000.00. There is no endowment. The indebtedness of the school was decreased last year by \$5,000.00 and now stands at \$20,449.00. There are four students looking to the ministry as a life work, and two to service as missionaries. The headmaster says that the moral and religious tone of the students is far better than for the past three years.

Carlisle School. The present session opened with an enrollment of 160 which represents a decrease from last year's opening. The shortage is in the Freshman and Sub-Freshman classes. The Senior class is the largest in the history of the school, twenty-five in number. The total enrollment last session was 244. There are ten professors. A fine moral and religious atmosphere pervades the campus. There is a Y. M. C. A. which is well-organized and doing good work. Three of the students are preparing for the ministry and six for the mission field. The headmaster reports that the students this year are of an exceptionally high type and seem to have come for business. The total income last year was \$63,928.00. The school's indebtedness stands at \$12,180.00, having been reduced the past year by \$13,819.00. There is a small loan fund of \$200.00. The value of grounds, buildings and equipment is given as \$160,000.00. The Mary Ann Bamberg Dormitory was destroyed by fire on October 8th. There was insurance on the building amounting to \$4,100.00 which will largely cover the loss. The boys occupying the building have all been placed in another dormitory and there was no interference with the school work.

Textile Industrial Institute. The president reports that the school has enrolled at this time 187 pupils which is all that they can accommodate. During the past year the total enrollment ran to 248. There are eight professors and instructors. The total receipts last year were \$33,111.51, obtained as follows: Music, \$56.10; Rents, \$1,897.67; Tuition, \$297.00; Subscriptions from S. C. Conference, \$194.90; Subscriptions from Upper S. C. Conference, \$248.84; Gift from Virginia Conference Board of Missions, \$5,000.00; From the General Board of Missions, \$25,000.00; Miscellaneous, \$417.00. There is a productive endowment of \$7,500.00. There is no loan fund. The indebtedness of the institution is \$346,462.59, \$90,000.00 of which is in bonds to General Board of Missions which will

be retired from the Centenary funds. This indebtedness is an increase of \$11,430.40 over last year's report due to the addition of new looms and accumulation of cloth on hand. The financial depression hit this institution harder than any of the others because it is dependent to a large degree on the sale of the cloth manufactured by the students in the Model Mill. The president reports that "Character Cloth" stores are being rapidly established in all parts of the country and sales are increasing. With the return of normal times there should be no trouble in disposing of all their output. But the real work of the school, that of making Christian character, and affording those who otherwise could not obtain it a chance to get an education and to fit themselves for the highest service in life, goes on. There are thirty-three life-service volunteers in the student body. Ninety-five per cent. of the students are professing Christians. It is the boast of the students that you can't live on the T. I. I. campus and remain unconverted. Recently a most successful revival was held on the campus conducted by the president and the principal of the school.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 3.

Your Board heard with pleasure Miss Will Lou Gray who is employed by the State Board of Education and who is charged especially with the work for the 38,742 illiterates in South Carolina. She outlined a plan by which our Church can cooperate in this great undertaking of removing the blot of illiteracy from our fair State by conducting a month's school for these unfortunates at one of our colleges during the summer months. The State offers to furnish and pay the salaries of the teachers necessary if we will provide a place for the school and a small sum for incidental expenses. \$300.00 was said to be sufficient for this.

Your Board heartily recommends cooperation in this movement and asks that \$300.00 be appropriated therefor. It further recommends that the preachers cooperate in the work by helping to secure prospective students, and that J. C. Roper and R. F. Morris be appointed as a committee to plan for same.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 4.

Your Board respectfully requests the Bishop to make the following appointments: John O. Willson, President of Lander College; R. O. Lawton, Professor in Lander College; D. E. Camak, President of the Textile Industrial Institute; J. C. Roper, Conference Secretary of Education; S. T. Creech, Superintendent of the Southern Home Institute; W. J. Snyder, Associate Headmaster of Carlisle School; A. M. Trawick, Professor in Wofford College; Edwin F. Mosely, student at Oxford University; William Fred Harris and James E. Ellis, students at Emory University.

We nominate P. F. Kilgo to preach the annual sermon before the undergraduates at the next Conference and L. P. McGee as alternate.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 5.

The Board of Education asks the Commission on Finance to make the following assessments:

Wofford College	\$7,848.00
Columbia College	3,000.00
Lander College	3,000.00
S. C. Methodist Training Conf.	2,000.00
Educational Extension	300.00
Expenses of Board of Education	150.00

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Report of the Board of Education—No. 6.

Rev. J. C. Roper, Conference Secretary of Education, reports as follows regarding the Educational movement:

1. He met with the Presiding Elders and preachers in District set up meetings, for the purpose of presenting the objectives of the Christian Education Movement. This preliminary or cultural program had in mind the quickening of religion in the homes of Methodist people, with the further thought of identifying the home more closely with the Sunday School, the Church, and the Church College. The final and ultimate objective being to enrich and deepen the spiritual life of the entire membership of the church.

2. He met with the Presiding Elders and preachers and Charge Directors in District group meetings, assisting Judge Featherstone, the Conference Director, in outlining the financial campaign and in presenting once more the religious objectives of the Christian Education Movement.

3. He has since the financial campaign or Every Member Canvass, presented the cause of the Christian Education Movement from pulpit and platform as opportunities have arisen.

4. With reference to the success of the Cultural Program, he reports the following:

1. New Family Altars	1551
2. Accessions on Vow	3993
3. Life Service Volunteers	220
4. Tithing Stewards added	1664

5. As a result of the Every Member Canvass, he makes the following report:

District	Quota	Pledged
Anderson	\$133,887	\$ 56,766.00
Cokesbury	167,000	75,163.00
Columbia	206,610	114,769.00
Greenville	176,997	100,000.75
Rock Hill	164,378	84,064.00
Spartanburg	216,408	92,068.00
Totals	\$1,066,280	\$523,573.00

This financial statement is subject to revision when all of the pledge cards have been tabulated. This is a preliminary and an approximate statement of the facts.

6. The total amount of cash, Bonds, and Directed Gifts that have been reported through the office of the Secretary of Education on October 31st, amounted to \$14,879.01.

7. Perhaps the largest asset of the campaign is not susceptible of tabulation or of expression in human terms. It is that growth in conviction of the necessity of the religious aspect of education, and of emphasizing the fundamentals in character building, in home, in school, in church, and in college.

J. R. T. MAJOR, *President*,
L. E. WIGGINS, *Secretary*.

Sunday School Board's Report—Report No. 1.

In reference to the matter of the South Carolina Sunday School Association, about which a good deal is being said, we beg to reaffirm most emphatically the action of our last Conference, and we call upon our people to stand by the action of our Church.

In this connection, we beg to call the attention of our people to the fact that our General Conference will meet in May of next year and such legislation may be had as will clear up the whole situation and define the attitude of our Church with reference to the said Sunday School Association.

We recognize that our Field Secretary and his associates have carried out the spirit of the said action of our Conference and we desire to place upon record our appreciation of their efforts in that behalf.

I. F. BEATY, *Chairman*,
J. H. MANLY, *Secretary*.

Sunday School Board's Report—Report No. 2.

The Sunday School work of the Conference is developing rapidly. We have a constructive program. The need for religious education is great. In the Sunday School, as in no other organization, can the Church's program of religious education be brought to the rank and file of our people. And this program must reach the masses, if it is to make our civilization safe—if it is to bring our people to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

We must do this work to keep faith with our civil government. The State does not undertake to be responsible for fully educating her people. The Church has assumed responsibility for their religious education when she agrees to the separation of Church and State. Some kind of religious education our people will have. Just what it is to be depends in large measure on what the Church does. In the Sunday School we find the Church's organized effort to meet this responsibility and make religious education really Christian.

This responsibility has not been adequately met. The Church is coming to see that she must have more of the time of our children. Our Sunday Schools are face to face right now with a demand for week-day schools, of religious education. But we are unprepared. As inviting as this field is, we are almost afraid to enter now because so few of our teachers are prepared to do such work.

Believing this your Board has been laying special emphasis on the matter of teacher training. Under the supervision of Miss Grace Killingsworth, Conference Superintendent of Teacher Training, this work has developed in a wonderful way during the past year.

Training schools held last year 12. This year 26. Awards by the Department of Teacher Training last year 304. This year 1014. Your Board commends most heartily the work along this line that is being done by Columbia, Lander, and Wofford Colleges.

There ought to be a Training class in every Sunday School. We urge our preachers to prepare themselves to teach these Training

classes. The South Carolina Methodist Training Conference and our several Standard Training Schools offer splendid opportunities to get such preparation. We recommend that our preachers where possible, give their services in these training schools.

We have had this year a new Elementary Superintendent, Mrs. L. P. Hanner. She has done a great work. She has already won a place in the hearts of our people. We commend her plans for the observance of Children's Week.

The Wesley Class work needs more attention. The present field force can only partially meet these needs. At present however we deem it unwise to undertake to employ another field worker. In the Wesley Class lies a splendid opportunity for the development of the young life of the Church. We ask our preachers and superintendents to join with us in an effort to make our organized Wesley Classes more effective agencies for such development. In this connection we wish to call your attention to the splendid summer camps that are being held under the auspices of the Intermediate Senior, and the Young Peoples and Adult Departments of our General Sunday School Board.

The General Sunday School Board will launch three new periodicals with the beginning of the new year. *The Haversack* for boys 10 to 17 years of age. *The Torch Bearer* for girls 10 to 17 years of age. *Our Young People* for those 17 to 24 years of age.

For the past year we have had three field workers. The following synopsis gives some idea of their work: Addresses 247, Sunday Schools visited 205, Conference 283, Institutes 36, Training Schools 26, Miles travelled 29,000, Articles sent to the press 222, Mail sent out (pieces) 13,122. Awards by Department of Teacher Training 1014, Conference Elementary Institutes 1, Conference Elementary Councils 2, Conference Teacher Training Councils 1, Conference Wesley Class Councils 1.

We are much concerned about Sunday School Day. The offering this year is a little more than last; but we are face to face with the fact that we must abandon part of our program unless we can make Sunday School Day mean more. This is no time for retrenchment in Sunday School work. We urge our presiding elders, pastors, and superintendents to lay this matter to heart.

We note with pleasure that we have had the presence of Rev. W. C. Owen, Superintendent of Young People's and Adult Department, whose splendid address at our Anniversary service and helpful counsel in our Board meetings have been so helpful.

We hereby request the presiding Bishop to appoint Rev. I. D. Gillespie Field Secretary for the ensuing Conference year and Dr. L. F. Beaty Assistant Sunday School Editor.

Respectfully submitted,

I. F. BEATY, *Chairman*,
J. H. MANLY, *Secretary*.

Report of South Carolina Methodist Training Conference—1921

The second session of the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference was held at Wofford College, June 23—July 6.

This second session of the Training Conference did splendid work. Those who attended are catching a new vision of its opportunities. Though the session this year was longer, the student body was decidedly more studious than before.

The Training Conference delivered 98 certificates of credit by the authority of the Department of Teacher Training of the General Sunday School Board, by its own authority 41.

The Bursar's books were audited. They showed the following receipts and disbursements:

South Carolina Methodist Training Conference

BURSAR'S REPORT—1921.

Receipts.

South Carolina Conference:	
Board of Missions	\$ 400.00
Sunday School Board	400.00
Board of Education	372.38
Upper South Carolina Conference:	
Board of Education	1200.00
Matriculations	279.25
Balance from 1920	1910.71
Total	<u>\$1,562.34</u>

Disbursements.

Speakers and Instructors:	
Honorariums	\$1250.00
Expenses	561.64
Supplies (Linen, etc.)	964.49
Printing and Publicity	476.05
Committee Expense:	
(Including entertainment of instructors)	607.23
Balance	702.93
	<u>\$1,562.34</u>

Signed: J. EMERSON FORD, *Bursar*

We have this day examined the books of J. E. Ford, Bursar, and find them correct.

Signed: G. E. EDWARDS,
A. J. CAUTHEN.

July 7th, 1921.

Your Board begs leave to make the following recommendations:

1. That for the sake of uniformity the members of the Board of Managers for the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference be selected as follows:

The Board of Education at the beginning of each quadrennium shall nominate five who shall by order of the Conference become, along with others similarly selected by the other Conference concerned, the Board of Managers of the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference and hold office till their successors are selected. The Sunday School Field Secretary of each Conference shall be ex officio a member of this Board of Managers.

2. That the Board of Missions of the two South Carolina Annual Conferences be requested to provide for part or all of the expenses to the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference, of such men

as, in the judgment of the several Presiding Elders, should receive such aid.

3. That the Presiding Elders be requested not to set the time for the holding of Quarterly Conferences during the time of the session of the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference.

4. That this annual Conference provide a guaranteed assessment of \$1200 for the South Carolina Methodist Training Conference to be included in the assessment for education and provide for its payment to the treasurer on or before June 1, 1922.

Respectfully submitted,

A. J. CAUTHEN, *Chairman.*

LEO. D. GILLESPIE, *Secretary.*

Report of Committee on Sabbath Observance

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

We, your committee on Sabbath observance, beg to submit the following report:

We all have observed with deep regret the wholesale desecration of our Lord's day. We believe that persistent, organized, continuous efforts should be made by our Protestant Churches to redeem our Sabbath from the hands of its enemies.

Our country will be ruined in twenty-five years if we go on at our present pace in our national destruction of the Sabbath of our God and of our forefathers.

Our Christian civilization and our nation can't live without a Sabbath day in which to rest and pray and teach religion to our children.

Our nation is rapidly committing suicide through our destruction of State Sabbath Laws and Sabbath sentiment by the Sabbath breaking invading of our interstate commerce, which plow through every state, and nearly every city and county of our country every Sunday. It is most alarming; the more so because becoming rooted in the habits of our people and even in the habits of some church members.

Resolved, First, that the desecration of our Lord's Sabbath day is imperiling the safety of our nation. Working for profit seven days in the week will destroy the religious life of any man, state or nation.

Resolved, Second, that our preachers and other Christian leaders should take the initiative first by not buying nor selling on Sunday unless in cases of absolute necessity; nor riding on Sunday trains; nor getting Sunday mails. We also urge that our people abstain from polluting our Sabbath by abolishing Sunday base-ball, golf, swimming-pools, dance halls, moving pictures, soft drinks and such like.

Resolved, Third, that as a nation, just as well as states, cities and individuals, we should recognize the Sabbath as God commands, and we should not license or permit city, state or inter-state, or national business for profit on Sunday. It is now enslaving millions and teaching millions more to the satanic slavery of Sabbath breaking. Our government should not use physical force to make men pray, nor study the Bible, nor go to church, but it should see that a Sabbath Day's rest is secured by law to every person under its jurisdiction. This is necessary for our physical, moral and financial growth and safety, as has been preached by our best statesmen, and decided by our United States Supreme Court, and by our State Supreme Courts for generations past. A nation that violates the Sabbath regularly is as sure to go to ruin as that Israel went to Babylon and Continental Europe to war.

We hereby approve the National Sunday Law proposed to our President and Congress July 14, 1921, by Noah W. Cooper, and others as committees from our Tennessee Annual Conference and eighteen other annual conferences of our M. E. Church South, to stop all interstate Sunday trains, newspapers, mails and Federal work for profit and secure a Sabbath Day's rest for all, excepting emergencies of charity and necessity. We recommend that a committee of three be appointed by our presiding officer to cooperate with like committees from other conferences and organizations to secure the enactment of this law and public sentiment to support it. We urge the cooperation of all Christians. We urge all our preachers and members to preach often and to practice scrupulous obedience to the Sabbath Commandment.

The Sabbath is God's day of rest for all to lay aside all worldly money making pursuits and to teach religion in our homes, in public meetings, to our children and to all. To neglect this prime duty, as is being so generally done, means death to our dearest hopes, liberties, treasures and nation. We must act now, or soon it will be too late.

J. B. CONNELLY,
Chairman,
S. C. CARTER,
J. A. CELY,
C. W. WATSON,
Secretary.

ON BIBLE CAUSE.

The American Bible Society was organized one hundred and five years ago the 8th day of May last. Since that date it has distributed over 140,000,000 volumes printed in more than 150 different languages and dialects. During recent years, counting an average of eight hours worked each day and omitting Sundays and holidays, the output of the American Bible Society has been an average of 16 books printed and bound each minute of every working day of the year. The American Bible Society distributes the Bible not only in the languages in which it prints it, but its workers are furnished with any one of the translations which may be needed. Up to 1919 the word of God has been printed throughout the world in 713 languages and dialects, the British and Foreign Bible Society and the American Bible Society being the chief producers. Notwithstanding the tremendous work of the society the demand exceeds the supply. One sub-agent in China asserts he could have disposed of 2,000,000 more copies in 1920, beyond those made available for him. The work of the American Bible Society is carried on through nine home and eleven foreign agencies, together with the headquarters administration in New York.

Many nations hitherto debarred the unspeakable blessing of the open Bible are now open to the Gospel of Christ and the printed page. When we consider the persistent efforts of the Roman Catholic Church to prevent the distribution of the Bible in foreign countries, the Protestant Church should bestir herself, and support more liberally the American Bible Society in its efforts to give to the world the word of God, the leaves of which are for the healing of the nations.

The society has named November 27th as Universal Bible Sunday. The society will gladly furnish literature suitable for church or Sunday School. Your committee would recommend that our pastors observe this day or some other day if more convenient.

Amount reported collected by this Conference for the society is \$950.00.

J. F. ANDERSON,
For the Committee

CONFERENCE RELATIONS.

Your Committee on Conference Relations has carefully considered all the names referred to it and recommends that the supernumerary relation be granted to M. G. Latham, D. R. Roof and A. H. Best.

We also recommend the superannuate relation for the following brethren: J. F. Anderson, M. M. Brabham, R. F. Bryant, J. W. Bailey, J. R. Copeland, L. L. Inabinet, J. B. Trawich, J. W. Neely and W. S. Martin.

E. W. MASON, *Chairman*,
S. H. BOOTH, *Secretary*.

Report on District Conference Journal.

Your Committee on District Conference Journals submits the following report:

All of the districts have well bound, durable journals. The journals were all submitted, and they are neatly and accurately kept. We commend the secretaries for their painstaking care in recording their Conference minutes.

Respectfully submitted,
J. W. LEWIS, *Chairman*.

Report of Board of Missions—Part 1.

Your Board of Missions begs leave to render the following report:

Received on assessment for Foreign Missions, \$11237.70; for Conference Missions, \$13722.57; which is about 79 per cent of the assessment; for Home Missions, \$3640.30; Collected for Foreign Specials \$2364.76, and for Conference specials, \$182.97.

We would commend the earnest, faithful, and heroic labors of the Conference missionaries during the year, and request the continuation of their quarterly reports to this Mission Board.

We request that all Conference specials collected be placed in the hands of the treasurer of this board.

The trustees of the Textile Industrial Institute report the institution to be on a 95 per cent Christian level, too small to take in all applicants for admission, has a standard of 17 units and after a thorough investigation by Attorneys Brown and Boyd the property unquestionably belongs to the church.

The assessment for Conference Missions for 1922 is \$17,500.00.

Report of Board of Missions—Part 2

Rev. J. L. Harley, Conference Evangelist, reports 9 meetings held, 152 sermons preached, 153 accessions to the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and quite a number of other churches, and \$922.00 collected for his support.

Rev. J. C. Roper, Conference Missionary Secretary, reports as follows:

First. Serving in the dual capacity of Missionary Secretary and Secretary of Education, he carried forward the Cultural Program of the Christian Education Movement, which in effect was the continuation of the Cultural Program inaugurated by the Centenary Movement two years ago. In addition to the objectives of the Cultural Program of the Centenary, there was included the Family Altar League,

and perhaps a still larger emphasis was given in the matter of life service. Four of the five objectives of the Christian Education Movement were entirely spiritual, as contrasted with a financial undertaking.

Second. The Making Good Facts of the Centenary were presented at District Group Meetings, District Conferences, and in connection with all pulpit services. Also, digested statements were compiled and given wide distribution over the Conference. Four thousand of the statements were printed at one time.

Third. By correspondence with the pastors and follow up letters direct to Centenary Treasurers, and through financial statements constant effort was made to encourage the payment of Centenary pledges and thereby assist the Conference Treasurer, Mr. L. I. Hardin, in the work that was committed to him. This work has been hindered to a large degree by reason of the financial depression that obtained during several months of the year, and by the preoccupation of the people in their regular work and in the extra call that was made upon their time and interest by reason of the Christian Education Movement. Notwithstanding these facts, since the last Annual Conference the following amount, \$70,077.95, has been paid to the Conference Treasurer. Many of the brethren are planning to devote their attention to the further collection of the Centenary pledges in the month of November.

Fourth. It is worthy of mention that during the financial stringency and the emphasis that was given to the Christian Education Movement, no unfriendly rivalry originated between these two causes that had an equal claim to the sympathy, the co-operation, and the liberality of the church. Therefore, the morale of both Movements was maintained without detriment to either.

Statement of Centenary Collections, Upper South Carolina Conference, year ending October 31st, 1921.

District.	Allotment.	Pledges.	Paid.
Anderson	\$ 131,447.00	\$ 131,875.87	\$ 42,013.64
Cokesbury	164,497.00	183,697.00	43,203.30
Columbia	188,870.00	245,939.20	65,052.48
Greenville	140,953.00	177,248.56	56,078.15
Rock Hill	138,067.00	153,203.00	41,665.91
Spartanburg	188,467.00	197,654.50	54,801.62
	<u>\$952,301.00</u>	<u>\$1,089,618.13</u>	<u>\$302,815.10</u>
Interest collected on deposit.....			2,205.01
			<u>\$305,020.11</u>

We wish to express our sincere thanks to Rev. J. C. Roper for his untiring, faithful, and zealous labor as missionary secretary. His wise leadership has led to the accomplishment of great things in our Zion. We bid him Godspeed in his new field of labor.

We respectfully ask the Bishop to appoint Revs. J. I. Harley and C. M. Morris Conference Evangelists, Rev. J. W. Speake Conference Missionary Secretary, and recommend to the Conference the election of C. P. Hammond Conference Lay Leader.

PART 3.

We note with exceeding gratitude the great things accomplished during the year; truly can we say, "What hath God wrought." But these achievements bring added responsibility and challenge the courage and loyalty of the Church perhaps as never before. This is a great day

in which we serve; and nothing short of the mobilization of the entire forces of the Church, baptized and empowered of the Holy Spirit, can meet the situation. It is Christ or chaos. We need to get our local churches instructed in and fired with the missionary passion, to catch a world-wide vision, and learn obedience through sacrifice. The crisis is on; and it is now, or never. The teeming multitudes at home and abroad are being saturated with Bolshevism, social disorder and unrest, infidelity, worldly mindedness, materialism, and idolatry. The young people are upon the verge of the cesspool of iniquity.

Therefore to meet this challenge your Board of Missions would urge:

First. Giving ourselves to prayer. The Church can advance upon her knees, prayer will make a difference, and put to flight the armies of the aliens.

Second. Collection of Centenary pledges. Let our churches and Sunday schools select some Centenary special and continue to preach the doctrine of stewardship and develop our spiritual resources.

Third. Life service. More workers at home and abroad are sadly needed, and the call for help is urgent. The young life of the Church needs to be called to deeper consecration and to lay itself on her altars saying, "Here am I, send me." Our silver and gold needs to be transmuted into great spiritual forces which shall make for the Kingdom of God and reconstruct a sin-cursed world upon the solid rock Christ Jesus.

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. SPEAKE, *President*,
O. M. ABNEY, *Secretary*.

Appropriations Made by the Board of Missions for 1921.

ANDERSON DISTRICT.

Calhoun Falls	\$500.00
Clemson College	500.00
Lowndesville	400.00
Orrville	300.00
Walhalla Circuit	500.00

COKEsbury DISTRICT.

Cokesbury	\$300.00
Greenwood Mills	150.00
Greenwood Circuit	400.00
McKendree	300.00
Mollohon and Oakland	200.00
Plum Branch	500.00
Pomaria	300.00
Waterloo	100.00

COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

Aiken Circuit	\$400.00
Brookland	200.00
Edgewood	300.00
North Augusta	150.00
Ridgeway	350.00
Whaley Street	300.00
Rose Hill	700.00
Graniteville (conditional)	250.00
Rose Hill (conditional)	300.00

GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon	\$300.00
Choice St. and Mill's Mill	200.00
Laurens Circuit	300.00
Liberty Circuit	400.00
Norris Circuit	300.00
Pickens Station	400.00
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West Greenville	350.00
Glenwood and Easley Mills	400.00
Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon (conditional)	100.00
South Easley (conditional)	200.00

ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

Baldwin Mill	\$300.00
Blacksburg	300.00
Blackstock	450.00
Lancaster Circuit	200.00
Manchester and H. Park	250.00
New Zion and Cannon	200.00
North Rock Hill	200.00
West Main Street	300.00
Van Wyck	300.00
Whitney and Ben Avon	500.00
York	300.00
Worker at Winthrop College	600.00

SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

Campobello	\$100.00
Carlisle	300.00
Chesnee Circuit	200.00
Cross Anchor	500.00
Ed Bethel	200.00
Gaffney Circuit	200.00
Limestone Street	300.00
Tucapau	200.00
Whitney and Ben Avon	500.00
Expense Fund mission board	200.00
Grand total appropriations for 1921	17500.00
Conference missions assessed	17500.00

J. W. SPEAKE, *President.*
O. M. ABNEY, *Secretary.*

Church Extension.

The following grants have been made to Churches and Parsonages:

Anderson District:	
Clemson College	\$ 300.00
Greenville District:	
Concord	300.00
Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon (Parsonage)	250.00
Rock Hill District:	
Sharon	250.00
Manchester and Highland Park (Parsonage)	250.00
Spartanburg District:	
Landrum (Donation \$250.; Loan \$100)	1250.00
Beaumont	500.00
Pacolet	300.00

We call attention to the Memorial Loan Funds of our Conference. A statement of each, with amounts, follows and becomes a part of this report.

JOHN O. WILLSON, *President,*
W. J. SNYDER, *Secretary.*

Report of Board of Christian Literature

The Board of Christian Literature begs to submit the following report: We recommend that our Conference adopt the following resolutions submitted to our Board of Christian Literature by the Executive Committee of the Board of Managers of the Southern Christian Advocate, on October 11, as follows:

1. That the Upper South Carolina Conference set apart February, 1922, as the month for presenting to our people the Advocate's need for immediate help in paying off the balance of the indebtedness on our publishing plant.

2. That the Upper South Carolina Conference continue the same assessments as last year for the Advocate.

We further beg to submit to the Upper South Carolina Conference the following report of the Business Manager of the Southern Christian Advocate: (See Report.)

Respectfully submitted,

W. B. GARRETT, *Chairman,*

M. K. MEADORS, *Secretary.*

Lancaster, S. C. Nov. 2, 1921.

Report of Business Manager Southern Christian Advocate.

To the Board of Managers: In compliance with your instructions I respectfully submit for transmission to the Board of Christian Literature the following exhibits:

Business Showing for New Plant.

The business of the Advocate in a plant of its own and altogether under its own management began January 1, 1921. The nine months from that date to September 30th show as follows:

<i>Credits</i>			
Subscriptions	\$10,762.07		
Advertising	7,252.08		
Job Work	1,381.31		
Obituaries	18.10		
Total Advocate Credits	\$19,413.56		
Book Sales	903.00	\$20,316.56	
<i>Debits</i>			
Pay Roll	\$10,023.52		
Paper Used	3,932.59		
Press Room Expense	498.01		
Power and Light	262.03		
Post Office	536.71		
Freight and Drayage	439.47		
Miscellaneous	306.67		
Total Advocate Expense	\$15,999.00		
Book Purchases	432.40		
Balance to credit	3,885.16	20,316.56	

The heavy overdraft from 1920 is attributable to several causes:

- (1) Book purchases fully covered by stock in hand.
- (2) Improvements on office building.
- (3) Excessive cost of paper.
- (4) The unreducible costs of operation through outside contracts.
- (5) A disastrous slump in subscription renewals.

The investment in a plant for publishing the *Advocate* has been practically demonstrated as both timely and wise. It has enabled us to reduce costs of publication materially, as well as to obtain more satisfactory results otherwise.

But the liquidation of this indebtedness is imperative and we can only look forward to that by laying the matter upon the heart and liberality of the *Advocate* owners—the Methodists of the two Carolina Conferences.

The chief source of revenue remains, an adequate subscription list. We now have a list of 6,550 which is inadequate as a business proposition and also for the mission for which the paper must be maintained.

The present indebtedness, to say nothing else, precludes the possibility of placing the *Advocate* in the Conference Budget.

The individual church, or charge, budget is the more practical plan.

But no plan with which the individual pastor is not in hearty accord and intelligent co-operation seems practical.

Respectfully submitted,

J. HUBERT NOLAND,

Business Manager.

Report No. 2.—Board of Christian Literature

The work of the Board of Christian Literature is destined to become one of the important parts of the work of our Conference. This is an age when the printed page enters into the life of the people of a nation and when the Church depends largely upon its books and periodicals for the moulding of its thought and character.

Your Board of Christian Literature has carefully considered the plans and suggestions made and begs to submit the following report, No. II:—Books, Periodicals, and Tracts. We, again, heartily approve the Book Department of The Southern Christian Advocate. Our Board has received a letter from Dr. T. N. Ivey, in regard to the excellency and the adaptability of our General Organ, the Nashville Christian Advocate, and we note with pleasure its large circulation, and recommend it to our people as a periodical of merit, ranking with the best.

The Southern Christian Advocate, Our Conference organ, has never given us a more interesting and attractive page—and we recommend the putting of the *Advocate* in the Budget of the local church.

We further recommend that the Commission of Finance make an appropriation of \$1000.00 for the *Advocate* and we also recommend that Dr. R. E. Stackhouse be appointed Editor for the ensuing year.

The Board has given careful consideration to the memorial of the Rock Hill District Conference and referred to this Board asking the Conference to take steps to provide for the circulation of the Southern Christian Advocate through the Conference Budget plan, and we report that while the plan commends itself to us as the wise method of handling

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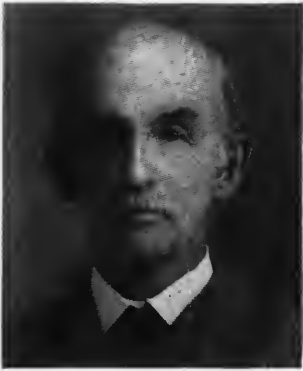
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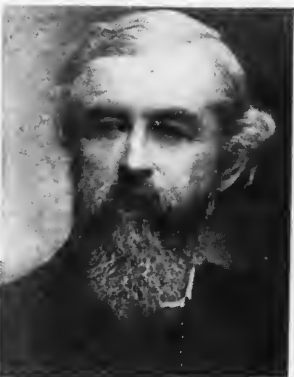
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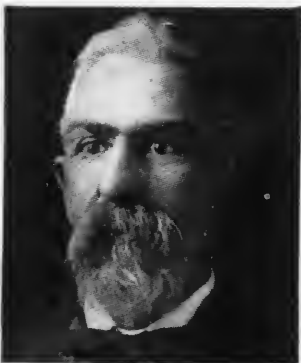
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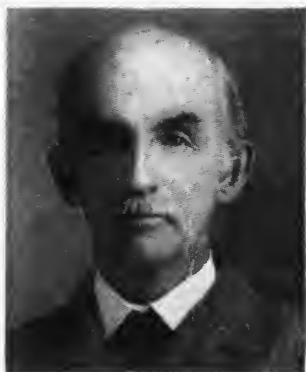
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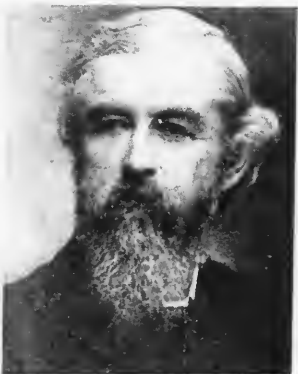
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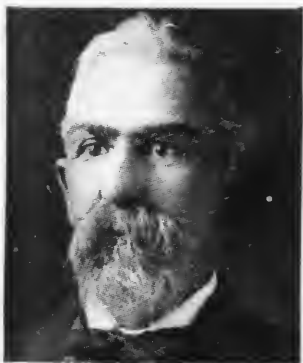
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We need it because we have nearly thirteen hundred thousand divorces granted in a period of forty years.

We need it because of the tremendous burdens of taxation being laid upon our people.

We need it because of the great wave of crime that has been sweeping over the land. Employees are being shot down and thousands of dollars are being stolen every day; and the government seems powerless to prevent it.

We need it because commercialism, the worship of the golden calf, blinds the eyes and hardens the heart of so many of our people.

We need it because so many are pleasure-mad, indulging in constant effort to be entertained and amused.

We need it because there is so much secularism and lack of Christian principle among our politicians.

We need it because we have been trying since 1789 to sail our ship of State under a Charter that makes no recognition of Divine Authority.

The paramount need of our country is not a revival of business. It is not an emergency tariff. It is not an increase of tonnage on the seas. It is not better immigration laws. It is not disarmament—it is not a change of political parties—it is not education.

The great need of our people is more religion at the fireside—more religion in the counting room—more religion in the strife between capital and labor—more religion in the schoolroom, more religion at the ballot box—more religion in our courts—more religion at Washington—more religion in our fundamental law. 'Blessed is the nation whose God is Jehovah, the people whom He hath chosen for His own inheritance'—*The Christian Statesman*."

We regard the action of the last General Conference in requiring that a committee on Social Service be elected by the Church Conference for each church as a timely measure and we rejoice that gratifying results have been accomplished by this committee wherever it has been put in operation. The General Conference left the work of this Committee with each conference and committee. We, therefore, recommend that this Conference commit to these committees the definite task of securing homes for our needy superannuate preachers, and to this end each social service committee be asked to secure a minimum offering of 25 cents per member, which, though so very small, will aggregate the sum of \$15,000.00 which will help meet the immediate demands of these dear brethren. We have furnished homes for our active preachers, but when the church has secured all the strength in them it has turned them out of doors, unless by some good fortune they were prepared for this relation. We believe that the same spirit that made possible the shelter for these heroes of the cross will love them and remember them after they have been housed, and they shall never feel that they are forgotten.

We recommend that the Treasurer of each local Committee remit all funds to the Chairman of this Board who shall act as Treasurer of this fund.

This communication has been handed us and meets our heartiest approval:

Report on Commission on Temperance and Social Service M. E. Church South, Lake Junaluska, August, 1921.

Resolved, That in view of the unsatisfactory relations now existing between the white and colored races, we express our conviction that the church should acknowledge its responsibility and its duty seriously to set itself to the task of aiding in the solution of these perplexing problems by the application of Christian principles.

That we ask our pastors to lay this matter on the consciences of our people to the end that our relations with the colored people be characterized by patience, justice and Christian charity.

That we pledge our Commission to cooperation with the Inter-Racial Commission and ask our pastors and our people to cooperate in the formation of local groups which shall endeavor to establish better relations between the races.

That we request the Board of Missions, the Sunday School Board and the Epworth League to include this subject in their programs for conferences, insitutes and study classes.

That we request these Boards to cooperate with this Commission in calling together groups of leaders among ministers and laymen for conference on the subject of interracial relations.

That the Commission through its Chairman request the bishops to allow the presentation of the subject of inter-racial relations to each annual Conference.

That we request the Social Service Board of each annual Conference to give a hearing to this representative and that this subject be treated in their annual report.

UNANIMOUSLY PASSED.

We rejoice in the progress of prohibition, but we have just begun to fight. We urge that our people do all in their power to secure the enforcement of all prohibition laws. We urge our representatives in Washington to actively support the Anti-Beer Bill which is now before Congress. We also urge the enactment by our Legislatures of a Moving Picture Censorship.

We condemn unalterably the modern dance and we urge our preachers and leaders to speak in no uncertain terms against it.

We heartily commend the rural life school conducted by the Home Mission Board, and trust these schools will be extended till they reach all our pastors, other leaders and people.

Respectfully submitted,

E. P. TAYLOR, *Chairman.*

WM. S. MORRISON, *Secretary.*

Report No. 2, of Committee on Temperance and Social Service

We, your committee, respectfully request the Bishop to appoint Rev. E. P. Taylor Conference agent for superannuate homes without salary, expenses to be paid out of funds collected.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. KILGORE, *Sec. for Com.*

EPWORTH LEAGUE BOARD.

The Epworth League Board begs leave to submit the following report:

We believe that the growth and increased interest in our church activities is nowhere more manifest than in our League work. Our growth has been phenomenal, 37 per cent in chapters, and 38 in membership, giving us at this time 115 chapters with 3878 members.

The interest has increased this year in proportion to the growth in chapters and membership. This enlarged interest is being felt in the churches and colleges of our Conference. This is also seen in the large number of volunteers for life service which is about 50 choice young people.

Two years ago our League raised \$496 for missions. One year following \$1415, the year covered by this report \$1914, and the pledges for the year 1921-1922 amount to \$2700. The difficulty of raising money in many of the departments of the church seems not to have affected our League Missionary collections. The burden of financing our local work rests largely upon our Leaguers who are made up of high school and college students with practically no income of their own. Your board feels that this obligation rests upon the older people of the church.

We believe that the greatest and most enthusiastic gathering of Methodist young people ever held in this State was the Lander Conference last June. There was a registered attendance of 212, and to quote one of the leaders of our church: "There was a sane, sensible and deeply religious spirit throughout the Conference." One of the chief results of this Conference was the addition of 15 volunteers to our list of life service volunteers. We find that it will be necessary to limit the delegates next year to 300. We believe that if our pastors would attend the Lander Assembly they would get a new conception of the importance and opportunities of the League.

Rev. James E. Ellis was again employed as Field Secretary for ten weeks during the summer. He visited every district, spoke in forty-two churches, and made seventy-six addresses.

Permit us to call attention to the fact that Anniversary Day was not as generally observed as it should have been. The offering on this day, if generally observed, would give substantial support to our Summer Conference.

We recommend that next year a Field Secretary be employed at least part of the time.

2nd. That we urge our pastors to be continually on the lookout to find and develop their leaders who may be able to go beyond the bounds of the local church since we are in woful need of Conference and District leadership.

3rd. That wherever practicable, Epworth Leagues be organized in the higher institutions of learning of our Conference. One of the most significant events in the League work of this Conference year was the establishment of a League at Lander College.

4th. That we recommend as a goal for the next year at least 150 Epworth League Chapters.

5th. That we thank the Conference for the assessment for 1920-1921, and respectfully ask for an assessment of \$1,500.00 for 1921-1922.

A. S. GUNTER, *President.*

Report of Commission on Finance

After consideration of the claims of the various interests of the Church, as estimated by the several boards, the Commission on Finance recommends a conference Budget of \$60,200.00, to be distributed as follows:

	Per Cent.	Amount.
Missions	29.07	\$17,500.00
Education	27.08	16,300.00
Sunday Schools	11.63	7,000.00
Epworth League	2.49	1,500.00
Conference Claimants	24.94	15,000.00
Minutes	2.99	1,800.00
Board of Christian Literature	1.82	1,100.00
	100.00	\$60,200.00

The amount of the General Budget allotted to the Conference is \$40,290.00. This amount and the amount of the Conference Budget are appropriated to the Districts as follows:

	Per Cent.	Conference Budget.	General Budget.
Anderson	12.26	\$ 7,381.00	\$ 4,940.00
Cokesbury	15.10	9,090.00	6,084.00
Columbia	19.68	11,847.00	7,929.00
Greenville	16.74	10,077.00	6,744.00
Rock Hill	15.86	9,548.00	6,390.00
Spartanburg	20.36	12,257.00	8,203.00
	100.00	\$60,200.00	\$40,290.00

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(Signed:) A. N. BRUNSON, *President.*

F. E. DIBBLE, *Secretary.*

Report of the Board of Finance—No. 1.

The Board of Finance respectfully submits the following report:

Received from Conference Budget	\$ 9506.46
Received Legal Conference	1197.00
Received from Publishing House	400.00
Received from Calvin Fund	12.00
	<u>\$11,155.46</u>

We have apportioned to be paid the following amounts:

To the Superannuate Endowment Fund.....	\$ 1878.34
To the Conference Claimants:	
Rev. J. F. Anderson	350.00
Rev. J. W. Bailey	250.00
Rev. M. M. Brabham	350.00
Rev. R. F. Bryant	200.00
Rev. J. R. Copeland	300.00
Rev. L. L. Inabinet	75.00
Rev. J. W. Neeley	100.00
Rev. J. B. Traywick	350.00
Mrs. A. N. Attaway	150.00
Mrs. John Attaway	150.00
Mrs. W. E. Barre	175.00
Mrs. J. G. Beckwith	150.00
Mrs. G. M. Boyd	100.00
Mrs. D. P. Boyd	100.00
Mrs. J. E. Carlisle	150.00
Mrs. A. M. Chreitzberg	100.00
Mrs. A. B. Earl	130.00
Mrs. J. G. Farr	150.00
Mrs. C. C. Fishburne	125.00
Mrs. J. M. Fridy	200.00
Mrs. W. L. Gault	400.00
Mrs. A. A. Gilbert	150.00
Mrs. R. L. Holroyd	250.00
Mrs. M. B. Kelly	200.00
Mrs. E. B. Loylass	200.00
Mrs. J. M. McRoy	150.00
Mrs. W. P. Meadows	200.00

Mrs. E. M. Merritt	150.00
Mrs. T. P. Phillips	125.00
Mrs. W. A. Pitts	5.00
Mrs. Geo. M. Pooser	200.00
Mrs. G. H. Pooser	5.00
Mrs. J. S. Porter	200.00
Mrs. S. L. Rodgers	300.00
Mrs. W. A. Rodgers	25.00
Mrs. J. E. Rushton	250.00
Mrs. G. R. Shaffer	200.00
Mrs. T. A. Shealey	250.00
Mrs. J. E. Watson	100.00
Mrs. E. A. Wayne	350.00
Mrs. W. B. Wharton	5.00
Mrs. E. A. Wilkes	350.00
Mrs. S. H. Zimmerman	125.00
Mrs. R. E. Turnipseed	150.00
Mrs. J. H. Thacker	200.00
Mrs. R. L. Duffie	150.00
Mrs. J. E. Beard	350.00
Mrs. Marion Dargan	125.00
Mrs. J. N. Isom	125.00
Miss Mamie Johnson	100.00
Miss Rebecca Duncan	100.00

\$9145.00

The Board respectfully recommends an assessment for the year 1922 the sum of \$15,000.00 for Conference Claimants and Superannuate Endowment Fund.

L. P. McGEE, *Chairman.*

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Board of Finance—No. 2.

DISTRICT.	Conference Claims.		Connectional Claims.		Totals.	
	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.	Assessed.	Paid.
Anderson	\$ 5,064.00	\$ 4,182.40	\$ 7,228.00	\$ 5,969.85	\$12,292.00	\$10,152.25
Cokesbury	6,358.00	4,109.73	9,073.00	5,865.38	15,431.00	9,975.11
Columbia	7,812.00	6,511.54	11,149.00	9,421.06	18,961.00	15,932.60
Greenville	6,692.00	5,016.04	9,551.00	7,158.79	16,243.00	12,174.79
Rock Hill	6,197.00	5,566.88	8,844.00	7,944.72	15,041.00	13,511.60
Spartanburg	8,167.00	6,500.78	11,655.00	9,277.17	19,822.00	15,777.95
Total	\$40,290.00	\$31,887.33	\$57,500.00	\$45,636.97	\$97,790.00	\$77,524.30

L. P. McGEE, *Chairman.*

SPECIALS RECEIVED FROM THE UPPER SOUTH CAROLINA CONFERENCE SINCE THE REPORT OF COLLECTIONS IN 1920.

Sunday School, Langley Circuit, Japan	\$ 2.30
Sunday School, Green Street, Columbia, S. C., Japan	50.00
Sunday School, Greenbrier, Winnsboro, S. C., Japan.....	5.00
Sunday School, Ridge Spring, S. C., Japan.....	10.67
Sunday School, Batesburg, S. C., Japan.....	5.67
Ebenezer Sunday School, Wagner Charge, Japan.....	5.00
Mt. Hebron, Sunday School, Lexington Charge, Japan....	10.00
Bethel Sunday School, Fairfield, S. C., Japan.....	4.80
Sunday School Green St., Columbia, S. C., Japan.....	10.00
Sunday Schools, Spartanburg Dist., Brazil.....	725.00
Mattie M. Pierson, Gaffney, S. C., China.....	5.00
Sunday School, Ninety-six, S. C., China	25.00
1921	
Greenbrier Sunday School, Rock Hill District, Japan.....	5.00
Sunday School, Edgefield, S. C., China	130.00
Ditto, Columbia, S. C., Japan	300.00
Ditto, Cokesbury, S. C., China	4.50
Ditto, Ninety-six, S. C., China	25.00
Ditto, Calhoun Falls, S. C., Brazil	2.58
Sunday School, Washington St., Columbia, S. C., China....	35.00
Sunday School, Cokesbury, S. C., China	3.95
Bethel Church, Spartanburg, S. C., Korea	750.00

INDEPENDENT SPECIALS:

1921	
W. J. Murray, Columbia, S. C., Brazil.....	250.00
Total	\$2364.26

REPORT OF CONFERENCE TREASURER

Connectional Claims.

Foreign Missions	\$ 11,351.20
Home Missions	3,677.12
Church Extension	6,075.22
Education	1,758.63
Theological Schools	1,438.87
Negro Work	1,039.18
Superannuate End. Fund	319.70
Epworth League	399.66
Sunday Schools	1,758.62
Bishops Fund	2,557.99
General Conference Expence	639.49
American Bible Society	959.24
Total	\$ 31,974.91
Less Treasurer Comm.	319.74
	\$31,655.17

CONFERENCE CLAIMS.

Missions	13,861.18	
Education	13,628.47	
Sunday Schools	5,543.66	
Epworth League	792.36	
Conference Clamauts Super End. Fund	9,506.46	
Minutes	1,425.22	
Board Christian Literature	159.39	
Representative Church	632.65	
Totals	\$ 45,549.39	
Less Treasurer Comm.	360.43	\$15,188.96
Grand Totals		\$77,524.30
Less Comm.		680.17
Net Totals		\$76,844.13

Report of The Clemson and Winthrop College Commission.

Your Commission has not been unmindful of the very great responsibility intrusted to it. However, the financial stringency that has depressed the thinking of our people along constructive lines, together with the requiring demands that have engaged the ministry of our Conference, incident to the campaign instituted in the interest of the Christian Education Movement, has made it well night impossible to realize the objectives which the Commission has had in mind.

At a meeting which was held in the city of Rock Hill in the early days of September, your Commission examined with great care the eligible site that had been secured by our St. Johns Congregation, and advised with the pastor and the leaders of this church with reference to its ultimate needs. At this meeting we had before us a communication from Dr. W. W. Pinson, one of a selection Committee to disburse one million dollars in assisting churches located in close proximity to the larger institutions of learning in Southern Methodism. The Commission had made an effort to secure the presence of Dr. Pinson at this meeting. The results of its deliberations were transmitted to Dr. S. H. C. Burgin, Secretary of the Board of Church Extension, and also Chairman of the Committee of Disbursements.

The Commission acknowledges with gratitude the promise of \$10,000 from the General Board of Church Extension for Clemson College. However, the effort is being made to secure a visit from a representative of the above Committee with the hope of having this amount increased very largely and also with the expectation of securing a liberal donation for our St. John's Church in Rock Hill, and thereby serve the needs of Winthrop College. With this in mind, your Commission is persistently working to secure the results indicated.

In conclusion, your Commission would make two recommendations to this Conference, and to the South Carolina Conference. First, that the Church Extension Board of each of these Conferences add \$1000 as an extra assessment over and above the assessments being made by such Boards, this amount to go exclusively to Clemson College. Second, That a day be set apart in these two Carolina Conferences, to be known as "Clemson and Winthrop College Sunday," at which time a free-will offering shall be received for the benefit of our

churches that are serving the Methodist boys and girls in attendance upon these institutions of learning.

We recommend that Sunday, the 2nd and 9th day of April, 1922, be fixed as the date for this offering.

Respectfully submitted,

J. C. ROPER, *Chairman,*

A. E. DRIGGERS,

Secretary for the Commission.

Resolution Concerning Disarmament.

Whereas, President Harding has called a Conference on Disarmament to be composed of the Principal Allied and Associated Powers of the World, to be held in Washington on November 11th 1921: and,

Whereas, the Christian people of the United States, of all denominations, by our profession of faith in the teaching of our Lord Jesus Christ, are committed to the policy of Peace on Earth and Good Will to men: and,

Whereas, we are convinced that continued competition in piling up armaments will mean the wreck of civilization and bring general bankruptcy, anarchy and perpetual war, resulting in national and international suicide.

Therefore Resolved, That we, the members of the Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, in session at Lancaster, S. C., do hereby express our hearty approval of this action of our President and pledge our earnest support in every effort looking to the establishment of a warless world.

Resolved, second, That a copy of this resolution be sent immediately to the "Peace Endorsement Committee, Room 94 Bible House, New York," so that it may be forwarded to the Conference without delay.

Signed: J. E. MAHAFFEY,

Chairman of Commission

S. H. BOOTH,

JAS. A. BARRETT.

Unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Conference, November 3rd, 1921.

Amendment to Report.

Whereas, the Educational situation in South Carolina makes imperative the building of an adequate Church and Sunday School plant at Clemson and Winthrop Colleges, at as early a date as possible,

Be it Resolved, by the Upper South Carolina Conference, that the pulpits of all our churches within the bounds of the Conference be opened to the pastors at Clemson and Rock Hill to give information and to take collections and subscriptions for the above mentioned churches in order to meet conditional donations by the Boards of Church Extension and Missions.

Signed: R. E. STACKHOUSE,

A. E. HOLLER,

B. R. TURNIPSEED,

L. D. ELLIS.

REPORT OF HOSPITAL COMMISSION.

The Hospital Committee appointed by this Conference at its last session begs leave to submit the following report:

1. Acting upon invitations, it visited several Hospitals already established, namely: The Steedly Hospital at Chick Springs; The Fennell Hospital at Rock Hill, and the Greenwood County Hospital at Greenwood. Generous offers were made by these insitutions, for which your Commission is deeply grateful.

Other communities signified a desire to make propositions, but said communities were not visited by your Commission.

Considerable information was secured by these visits which may be of benefit in the future.

2. At the time your Commission commenced work financial conditions were very much depressed, and instead of growing better they have grown worse. On account of these depressed financial conditions your Committee deemed it unwise to enter into further negotiations or in any way to enter into contracts which would bind this Conference. Certainly, your Commission was unwilling to go further into the matter without resubmitting it to the Conference.

3. In the opinion of your Commission, it would be very unwise at this time to make any definite plans looking to the establishment of a Hospital by our Conference, but we recommend that a Hospital Commission be continued and given full power to co-operate with a similar Commission from the South Carolina Conference with the end in view that eventually a Hospital may be established which can be operated under the auspices of the two Conferences, provided, however, that no definite action shall be taken without the consent of this Conference.

4. We recommend that the Chairman of this Commission express our thanks to the Institutions which were offered to us, expressing the hope that later on we may be in position to take definite action in reference thereto.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

J. W. SPEAKE, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS TO GENERAL CONFERENCE.

Your Committee had before it the following Memorials to the coming General Conference:

1. A Memorial signed by Dr. John O. Willson and others concerning unification, we recommend concurrence with the exception of the last clause of the last paragraph, namely "but continue careful negotiation until every effort for union shall be exhausted."

2. From Cokesbury District Conference as to Church Register, we recommend concurrence.

3. Concerning Superannuate endowment fund sent up by General Board of Finance, we recommend nonconcurrence.

4. Concerning superannuate endowment fund signed by B. R. Turnipseed and others, we recommend concurrence.

5. Concerning Christian Literature Sunday, we recommend nonconcurrence.

6. Concerning baptism signed by J. E. Mahaffey and others asking that it may be optional with our preachers whether or not they shall baptize a candidate by immersion when requested to do so, we recommend concurrence.

We return a memorial to this Conference from the Cokesbury District Conference concerning a marker for Mt. Bethel Academy which was improperly referred to us.

Also a memorial to this Conference from the Rock Hill District Conference concerning circulation of a correspondence School Library which was improperly referred to us.

R. E. STACKHOUSE, *Chairman*,
J. C. SMITH, *Secretary*.

Resolution Providing More Adequately For Widows and Children of Deceased Ministers.

Whereas, The support provided for the widows and children of deceased ministers is entirely inadequate; and,

Whereas, It is possible to insure the lives of the entire effective membership of this body, without physical examination, at approximately fourteen dollars per member per year; and,

Whereas, The aggregate amount necessary to insure the effective members, in full connection, is approximately \$2000.00, and including those on trial and the supplies possibly not more than 2400.00; therefore, be it

Resolved, That this body instruct the Board of Finance to investigate the above proposition and that it be empowered to ask for a Christmas offering in all of our congregations with which to consummate the above proposal, if it deems it wise to do so upon further investigation.

Signed: J. C. ROPER,
T. W. MUNNERLYN,
W M. RODDY.

Resolution Concerning The Bible in the Public Schools of America.

Whereas the word of God is fundamental to the safe development of the moral life of America in that it contains the highest ethical ideals which can be kept before the youth of the nation, therefore be it

First:

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Upper South Carolina Conference that portions of the Bible should be read each day in the public schools of the State, this to be done without comment in order to satisfy the objection that such a practice lends itself to sectarian competition. With this difficulty eliminated the way is open to bring to the hearts of the youth's of South Carolina the superb ethical message of the Holy Bible.

Second:

Resolved, That in expressing this wish to have the ethical elements of the Book duly read in the Public Schools we do not over look our fundamental faith in its divine message, nor do we intend to minimize our faith in the Divinity of Jesus Christ, but this step is taken as an expedient measure in bringing such elements of the Book as can now be presented without reasonable objections.

C. C. FEATHERSTONE,
J. B. PENLAND,
W A. BLACK.

REPORT BOARD OF MANAGERS

The board of managers of the Upper South Carolina Conference beg leave to submit the following report:

The total resources of the Conference are as follows:

Charleston bonds	\$ 10,000.00
W. S. Glenn note and mortgage	8,000.00
Julian Calhoun note and mortgage	519.55
L. H. Jones	4,000.00
Cash on hand	2,889.13
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	\$ 25,408.68

The income on these resources amounts to \$4,436.30 which is accounted for in the following way:

Elford Agency bond fee	\$ 12.50
Commissions	38.42
Paid to Board of Finance Department, preachers etc.	1197.00
Transferred to Special Relief Fund	299.25
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	\$ 4,436.30

This fund stands with a balance of \$304.49, having disbursed during the year \$300.00 as follows: J. B. Traywick, \$150.00; W. D. Quick \$50.00; J. E. Strickland \$100.00.

At a former session of the Annual Conference the President was requested to write a history of the Legal Conference. The matter has been renewed and after consultation with the Committee on Minutes it was decided to print this history in this years Journal.

J. C. ROPER, *President*,
R. L. HOLROYD, *Secretary*.

MINUTES OF LEGAL CONFERENCE.

The Upper South Carolina Conference met in the First Methodist church, Lancaster, S. C., at 5:30 o'clock, November 5th, 1921. The report of the Board of Managers was read and adopted. (See report.)

The class received into full connection at this session of the Conference was elected to membership: E. R. Mason substitutes for J. B. Traywick as First Vice President. The old officers were re-elected. On motion, Conference adjourned.

J. C. ROPER, *President*,
R. L. HOLROYD, *Secretary*.

Committee on Minutes.

Your Committee on minutes submits for your consideration the following report:

Receipts.

Cash on hand November 1st, 1920.....	\$ 2.00
Received from Conference Treasurer November 10, 1920	842.53
Total receipts	<hr/>
	\$ 844.53

Disbursements.

Paid out for printing	\$1119.00
Conference secretary's expenses	32.53
Total disbursements	\$1151.53
Deficit for year ending 1920	\$ 307.00

The Commission on Finance grants your Committee \$1800.00 for the year 1922.

Respectfully submitted,
M. T. WHARTON,
G. H. HODGES.

The Legal Conference of the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference

The term "Legal Conference" is used to differentiate the incorporated from the ecclesiastical body. The Bishop in charge is president of the Ecclesiastical Conference; I have the honor of being president of the Upper South Carolina Conference *incorporated*.

As far back as 1807 Bishop Asbury advised the raising of a special relief fund for preachers and their families. Prior to this there was a trust fund for the relief of superannuated preachers, their widows and orphans. These funds were small at first, but gradually grew, so in 1850 the South Carolina Conference was chartered and became the trustee of the various trusts or funds. This incorporation of the South Carolina Conference appears on page 10 of the Acts of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina in 1850. This charter as will presently appear was amended in 1851 for the purpose of removing certain contradictory clauses contained therein.

From the original minutes book of the South Carolina Conference we learn that the minutes of the incorporated Conference were consumed in the fire which devastated Columbia in 1865, and that "the present record is compiled from the original copies of the minutes in the hands of the Treasurer, Robert Boyce, Esquire, by Samuel Leard, Secretary, February 25th, 1865."

The first entry is the Charter. It is headed "Act of Incorporation" and contains only the portion of the Act of 1850 referring to the Conference. It is dated December 26th, 1850.

The second entry gives the minutes of a meeting of the officers of the incorporated Conference (now called "The Legal Conference") held on Thursday, April the 10th, 1851. Because of the persons anticipating and because of the action taken at that meeting we quote therefrom as follows:

"Present Rev. W. M. Wightman, Whiteford Smith, Charles Betts, Nicholas Talley, David Derrick, James Stacy, Wm. Martin, R. I. Boyd and S. W. Capen.

The "Act of Incorporation" was then read whereupon the following resolutions were unanimously adopted, viz:

Resolved, That this body accept the Charter of Incorporation granted to it by the Legislature of South Carolina, in December last, under the name of style of the "the South Carolina Annual Conference."

The following Preamble and Resolutions upon motion of Dr. W. Smith were unanimously adopted, viz,

Whereas, the Charter granted to the South Carolina Annual Conference by the Legislature of this State, at its last session, was included in an Act, to incorporate certain societies, and companies, and,

Whereas, certain limitations and restrictions were imposed in several sections of that Act, which were manifestly not intended to apply to this corporation, being contradictory to the privileges granted in the Charter, therefore,

Resolved, That Whiteford Smith and William Martin be appointed to apply to the Legislature of South Carolina at its next session, in the name and on behalf of this corporation for an amendment to the Charter.

Resolved, That the Rev. Dr. Wightman be requested to give notice in the South Carolina Advocate, three months before the next meeting of the Legislature of South Carolina that application will be made to that body for an amendment of the Charter of the South Carolina Annual Conference.

By-Laws adopted at this time were as follows:

"Art. 1st. This corporation shall meet annually at the place of holding the sessions of the unincorporated body, known as the South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South; and during the sessions of that body, at such time as shall be designated by the President or in his absence, one of the Vice Presidents.

Art. 2nd. The members of the unincorporated body known as the South Carolina Conference, now in connection with the M. E. Church, South, shall be eligible to membership in this body, by a majority of the votes of this corporation; Provided that whenever any such minister shall locate or be transferred to another Annual Conference; or in any way cease to be a member of the unincorporated Conference; his membership in this corporation shall terminate. Three laymen may also by a majority of votes be elected members of this corporation to serve as managers, but their membership shall terminate, whenever they fail to be elected on the Board of Managers or cease to be members of the Methodist Church, South. From among these three laymen to be so elected, one shall be the Treasurer of this Conference.

Art. 3rd. At the death of an clerical member, his widow and children shall be allowed such appropriation from the funds of this corporation from time to time, as shall be declared by the Board of Managers, and approved by this body.

Art. 4th. The officers of this Conference shall be a President, two Vice Presidents, a Secretary and a Treasurer; and also a Board of Managers consisting of the officers above named and the laymen who shall have been elected members of the corporation. These officers shall be elected at each Annual meeting of the body, by a majority of the votes of the members present (except the Treasurer for whose election provision is hereinafter made), provided that in the event of an annual meeting not being held; or no election of officers taking place, then the officers last elected shall serve until the next election.

Art. 5th. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of this corporation and to call meetings of the Board of Managers whenever in his judgment they are necessary. He shall be "ex officio" President of the Board of Managers.

Art. 6th. The Vice President shall also be "ex officio" members of the Board of Managers in the absence, or in case of the death or removal from the Conference of the President, one of the Vice Presidents shall take his place, and fulfill all the duties of the President.

Art. 7th. The Secretary shall attend all meetings of this body, and of the Board of Managers (of which he shall be also "ex officio")

a member); and shall keep a Journal of all the proceedings of the Conference, and of the Board, to be signed by the President, and countersigned by himself.

Art. 8th. The Treasurer of this Conference shall be elected by the Board of Managers from among the lay members of the corporation. Before entering upon the discharge of his duties, he shall give security in the sum of \$10,000.00 (Ten Thousand Dollars) to be approved by the Board of Managers. It shall be his duty to take charge of all the funds and securities belonging to this corporation; and to hold the same for its use. He shall invest no money, except under direction of the Board of Managers. He shall be authorized to receive all income, dividends or interest, accruing to this corporation, and to give proper releases for same. He shall be allowed a commission of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on all moneys received and $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent on all moneys expended by him, but this commission is only intended to apply to the income dividends and interests accruing upon the capital. He shall make an annual report to this corporation of all its financial interests. The Board of Managers may at any time require of him an exhibit of the finances of the Conference.

Art. 9th. The Board of Managers shall meet at the call of the President, four of whom shall constitute a quorum. They shall be authorized to manage and conduct all the financial concerns of the corporation, and to give direction for the receipt, disbursing and investment of all its funds. To appoint proper agents for the receipt or recovery of any funds or property to which it may become entitled; and to execute by the President, or any other agent or officer, whom they may appoint any deeds or instruments of writing, which may become necessary, in the conduct of the business of the corporation.

10th. The Board of Managers shall recommend from year to year such appropriations from the net annual income of the Conference for charitable purposes, as they shall deem most advisable in conformity with the original intention of the various institutions, or trust, for which this corporation shall be made the Trustee; but such recommendations shall be submitted to the corporation, who shall approve, alter or reject them; Provided nevertheless, that no appropriation shall be made either by the recommendation of the Board, or the action of the Conference, which will diminish its capital.

Art. 11th. These By-Laws shall not be altered, or amended except at the annual meeting of this corporation, and by a vote of two-thirds of its members present."

At this meeting the following officers were elected:

- Rev. William M. Wightman, President.
- Rev. Whiteford Smith, 1st Vice President.
- Rev. A. C. Walker, 2nd Vice President.
- Rev. W. A. Gamewell, Secretary.

The three lay members elected, as provided in the By-Laws, were Andrew Wallace, Robert Boyce and John Boyce.

As the Upper South Carolina Conference is a part of the South Carolina Conference, we have the right to assume that until repealed these By-Laws continue in force. However, I shall recommend that they be formally incorporated into our law, with such amendments as may seem wise in their passage. For instance, we have five Board of Managers instead of three, therefore, Art. 2nd should be amended accordingly.

By reference to pages 843 and 845 of Acts of the General Assembly of South Carolina of 1914, will be seen an amendment to the amended charter of 1851, and which reads as follows:

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, that section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to amend the charter of the South Carolina Conference," approved the 16th day of December, 1851, be, and the same is hereby, amended by striking out the words "not exceeding twenty thousand dollars in net annual produce," on lines 12 and 13 thereof, so that said section 1, when so amended shall read as follows:

Section 1. South Carolina Annual Conference. Authorized to hold property without restriction. That William M. Wightman, Whiteford Smith, H. A. C. Walker, Jos. H. Wheeler, James Stacy, N. Tally, C. Betts, W. Martin, S. W. Capers, W. A. Gamewell, R. J. Boyd and D. Derrick, with such others as they may associate with themselves, and their successors, be, and are hereby declared to be, a body corporate in deed and in law, by the name of the South Carolina Annual Conference, and by the said name shall have perpetua succession of officers and members, and a common seal, with power to purchase, have, hold, receive and enjoy in perpetuity, or for any term of years, any estate, lands, tenements, or hereditaments of what kind so ever, and to sell, alien, remise and change the same or any part thereof, as it shall think proper, and by its said name to use and be sued, plead and be impleaded, ansyer and be answered unto in any court of law or equity in this State; and to make such rules and By-Laws (not repugnant to the law of the land) for the regulation, benefit and advantage of the said corporation and the same to change and alter, as shall, from time to time, be agreed upon by a majority of the members of the said corporation.

Approved the 6th day of February, A. D. 1914."

At this juncture, I wish to quote from the Minute Book of 1874, "A Short History of the Conference" by Dr. Whiteford Smith. This account records the transfer of all property owned by the ecclesiastical Conference to the incorporated body, as well as the spirit and motive of the incorporation. We read:

"Many years ago our predecessors of this Conference, impressed with the obligations of a true Christian charity formed three associations confined entirely to members of the Conference, viz: The Society of Special Relief; The Superannuated Preachers Fund, and the Society for the Education of preachers' children. The first of these, at least, was incorporated by the Legislature of this State. To the last of these each member of the Conference was expected to contribute a certain annual subscription. To the small amounts contributed by themselves were added yearly such donations and legacies as the benevolence of our people might supply. These small amounts gradually increased until they were able to make a small appropriation yearly in pursuance of the original design.

A little more than twenty years ago it was thought advisable to procure an act of incorporation of the South Carolina Annual Conference distinct from the ecclesiastical body bearing a similar name, in order that we might be able by process of law if necessary to secure and hold any property to which this body might be entitled by gift, legacy, or otherwise. The act of incorporation granted by the Legislature in 1850 gave authority also to this corporation to become trustee for any religious or charitable uses. It likewise authorized the ecclesiastical body referred to, to convey by vote any property

they held or might be entitled to, to this incorporated body. The ecclesiastical Conference did by vote convey to this incorporate body all their legal property and rights, together with the several trust funds alluded to above. By this means the cumbrous machinery of several different Boards of Managers was dispensed with and the whole placed under the supervision and care of the Board of Managers of the incorporate Conference, on which board was placed several of the most sagacious and prudent laymen belonging to our Church in the bounds of this Conference. Among many advantages which might be named this one is conspicuous; that in recommending appropriations among the beneficiaries from these several trusts, they might know from how many of these trust funds each beneficiary would receive something; and thus as far as possible, with all the light before them, do justice to each and every one."

Because of the fact I have not access to certain records in the possession of the South Carolina Conference, I am not able to mention the officers that have served. Besides those mentioned above it appears that as Secretary, Dr. John Willson served for sixteen years; Dr. L. F. Beaty four. For many years Dr. R. A. Child was its President.

I should state that proof of the fact that the Ecclesiastical Conference did turn over to the Incorporated Conference its property is found on page 49 of the minutes of the Legal Conference, and page 499 of the Minutes of the Minutes of the Ecclesiastical Conference in 882.

It now remains for me to give the text of the Act of Incorporation of the Upper South Carolina Conference as found on pages 450 and 451 of the Acts of the General Assembly of South Carolina for 1915.

"An Act to Incorporate the Upper South Carolina Conference.

"Section 1. Upper South Carolina Conference Incorporated. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, that T. C. O'Dell, W. P. Meadors, J. W. Kilgo, P. F. Kilgo, R. L. Holroyd and R. E. Stackhouse, with such others as they may associate with them, and their successors, be and hereby declared to be, a body corporate, in deed and in law, by the name of Upper South Carolina Conference, and by the said name shall have perpetual succession of officers and members, and a common seal with power to purchase, have, hold, receive, and enjoy in perpetuity, or for any term of years, any estate, lands, tenements or hereditaments of what kind soever, and to sell, alien, remise and change the same or any part thereof as it shall seem proper, and by its said name to sue and be sued; plead and be impleaded; answer and be answered to in any courts in this State, and to make such rules and By-Laws (not repugnant to the law of the land) to the benefit and advantage of the said corporation, and the same to change and alter as from time to time shall be agreed upon. .

Section 2. The said corporation may take and hold to itself and its successors forever, any gifts or devises, or bequests of lands, personal estate and choses in action, and may appropriate the same for the benefit of the said corporation, in such manner as may be determined by a majority of the members thereof; and the said corporation may become trustees for any religious or charitable use.

Section 3. That said corporation shall, with the consent of the members of the unincorporated body now known as Upper South Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, be vested with all the rights and property belonging to the said last mentioned body, and the said corporation is hereby empowered to elect or appoint any one or more officers and the same to change at

pleasure, who shall have full authority to receive from any person or persons the possession of any property or moneys belonging to the said unincorporated body, and shall have full power and authority to receive for the unincorporated body now known as South Carolina Annual Conference, any property of any kind whatsoever which may be turned over to it by the said corporation..

Section 4. That this Act shall be taken and deemed as a public Act and notice thereof shall be taken in all courts of justice and elsewhere in this State, and shall be given in evidence without special pleading.

Approved the 5th day of March A. D., 1915.

At the first session of the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference held in Bethel Church, Spartanburg, S. C., November 24, 1915, and as appears on page 53 of the minutes thereof the following officers of the Legal Conference were elected:

Rev. J. C. Roper, President.

Rev. J. B. Traywick, 1st Vice President.

Rev. C. C. Herbert, 2nd Vice President.

Rev. J. M. Steadman, Secretary.

Howard B. Carlisle, Esq., Treasurer.

W. M. Jones, Esq.

J. W. Boyd, Esq.

Capt. J. B. Humbert.

Capt. G. W. Sullivan.

These five laymen compose the Board of Managers.

After dividing the trusts belonging to the South Carolina Annual Conference, the Legal Conference of the Upper South Carolina has in hand approximately fifteen thousand dollars. The income from which is distributed as directed by the respective trusts. With the experienced laymen and legal talent that is represented in the Board of Managers we already have the machinery for handling large legacies for the superannuated preachers, and for the widows and orphans of our deceased preachers.

It is high time our rich Mehtodists were considering other worthy causes should remember these worthy cases in their wills. The church has the machinery to administer it. Being able to "sue and be sued," with a Treasurer under a bond, and vigilant advisors to watch after the interests of the beneficiaries.

JOHN C. ROPER, *President,*
of the Legal Conference of the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference.

The above history of the Legal Conference was written for the Clinton Chronicle at the session of the Upper South Carolina Conference, which met in Clinton in 1917, and was prepared by request of the pastor of Clinton Station, Rev. Henry Stokes. It was ordered published in the Conference Minutes at that time as a matter of record, but for some cause this was not done. At the session of the Conference held in Lancaster in November, 1921, the request was renewed. Upon information from the Honorable H. B. Carlisle, of Spartanburg, the above History of the Legal Conference was instrumental in winning a lawsuit which was pending in the courts at that time, and which finally resulted in adding \$10,000 to the resources of both the South Carolina and the Upper South Carolina Conference. Because of this fact, it is desired now to make it a permanent record in an available form. All of the officers that were serving at the Clinton Conference

are now serving, with the exception of Rev. J. B. Traywick, First Vice President, who has recently resigned, and who has been succeeded by Rev. E. R. Mason; and Rev. J. M. Steadman, Secretary, who has resigned, and has been succeeded by Rev. R. L. Holroyd. The resources of the Legal Conference now amount to \$25,408.68. This year the Legal Conference was able to turn over to the Board of Finance for the Superannuate preachers, their widows and orphans, approximately \$1200.00 from the annual revenue, and approximately \$400.00 to be expended in granting relief in extreme needs to preachers suffering from great reverses or great afflictions. This latter item is known as the Special Relief Fund.

J. C. ROPER.

November 1921.

Minutes of Conference Brotherhood.

Lancaster, S. C., November 5, 1921.

The Brotherhood of the Upper South Carolina Conference convened in annual session this morning. On request of Dr. Willson, Bishop Darlington presided. The secretary read his annual report, and also submitted his treasurer's report, both of which are given below.

These papers were received as information and ordered to record.

The following new members were elected: Clerical, J. C. Diggs, J. K. Walker, A. M. Smith, N. M. Phillips, H. O. Chambers, B. R. Turnipseed, John W. Neely, W. P. Meadors Loy D. F. Sapp.

On motion of Dr. L. F. Beaty the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President Dr. John O. Willson, Vice President Dr. J. W. Kilgo, Vice President T. S. Chipley, Secretary and treasurer, Albert D. Betts.

Executive committee, J. R. T. Major, S. T. Blackman.

The meeting then adjourned.

Signed: JOHN O. WILSON, *President.*

ALBERT D. BETTS, *Secretary.*

Annual Report of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Conference Brotherhood.

November 2, 1921.

To the Brotherhood of the Upper South Carolina Conference, Lancaster, S. C.

Dear Brethren: I beg leave to submit the following report for the year just closing:

1. We have 244 clerical members in the Brotherhood, just 43 more than we had this time last year. Our lay memberships number 55, which is 8 more than last year. Out of about 325 preachers in our two Conferences there are now only about eighty who are not in the Brotherhood. I am sure that we all hope they will delay no longer in becoming a part of our organization.

2. Three of our beneficiary members have died during the year: Rev. Marion Dargan, Rev. T. L. Belvin, and Rev. W. W. Daniel, D. D. To each widow \$300 has been sent, and the remaining \$700 to each will be sent before the end of the present calendar year.

For the past two years our death rate has been below normal, consequently we are accumulating a reserve fund which amounted to \$1,856.66 on January 1st, and it will probably be double that amount by the 1st of next January.

I attach hereto my financial report as treasurer for the year 1920 closing with December 31st, and also a financial summary for the present year up to November 1st.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT D. BETTS,

Secretary and Treasurer.

Columbia, S. C., November 1, 1921.

Report of Conference Brotherhood Treasurer.

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1920.

Receipts.

From former treasurer (1st quarter).....	\$ 819.46	
From membership dues (2nd quarter).....	1,007.00	
From membership dues (3rd quarter).....	881.25	
From membership dues (4th quarter).....	1,000.00	
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	\$ 3,737.71	
From friends for Mrs. Tyler	\$ 25.00	
From interest	12.58	
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Total receipts		\$3,775.29

Expenditures.

To beneficiaries	\$ 900.00	
To Mrs. J. L. Tyler (sepcial)	25.00	
To expense of Executive Committee	11.75	
To treasurer's expense	60.00	
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Total expenditures		\$ 996.75
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Balance on hand		\$2,778.54
Less 1920 claims unpaid		921.88
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To reserve fund		\$1,856.66

To Accord With Bank Account.

Balance on hand	\$ 2,778.54	
Advance 1921 dues paid	137.00	
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Total	\$ 2,815.54	

Financial Summary For 1921 (to Nov. 1st.)

Received 1st quarter	\$ 1,589.83	
Received 2nd quarter	787.00	
Received 3rd quarter	708.75	
Received 4th quarter (to date)	532.50	
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Total	\$ 3,618.08	
Balance from 1920	2,778.54	
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	\$ 6,396.62	
Paid out to date	1,621.88	
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Balance now on hand	\$ 4,774.74	

Minutes of Historical Society.

The Historical Society of the Upper South Carolina Conference held its Sixth Anniversary in the First Methodist Church, Lancaster, S. C., on the evening of November 1st at 7:30 o'clock, with the President, Dr. M. L. Carlisle, in the chair.

Devotional exercises were conducted by A. D. Beets of the South Carolina Conference using hymn No. 78 and the reading of the 90th Psalm responsively. J. W. Shell was requested to lead in prayer.

In the absence of A. E. Driggers, the regular secretary, A. N. Brunson was asked to act as secretary.

Rev. T. E. Morris of the South Carolina Conference, the orator of the evening was introduced by the President and delivered a most interesting and instructive address from the subject: "Some By-products of Methodism."

The Conference Quartette delighted the Society with a selection.

On motion of J. C. Roper, the Society expressed appreciation of the address by a rising vote.

Rev. M. M. Brabham was selected to make the address at the next annual meeting and T. C. O'Dell was elected alternate.

The old officers were re-elected to serve another year.

M. L. CARLISLE, *President.*

A. E. DRIGGERS, *Secretary.*

Upon call of the President the following gifts were made to the Society: "Some Historical pamphlets from library of James Harding, grandfather of Mrs. J. D. Crant" by J. E. Mahaffey.

A clipping from the Greenville Daily Piedmont of an address entitled, "Recollections of my four years Ministry at Hampton Avenue" delivered by A. E. Driggers, a former pastor on the occasion of the Sixteenth Anniversary of the Hampton Avenue Church, presented by Prof. W. S. Morrison.

The Treasurer's report was called for and is as follows:

Balance brought forward from last year.....	\$ 35.95
Dues collected	36.20
Total receipts	<u>\$ 72.15</u>

Expenditure

Paid for publishing and distributing historical news.....	\$ 70.00
Balance on hand	<u>\$ 2.15</u>

There being no further business the society was adjourned with the benediction by T. E. Morris.

Rev. John Newton Isom.

Rev. John Newton Isom was born April 17th., 1855 in Antioch church community in York County. His parents were James and Elizabeth Isom. They were Presbyterians.

John while a youth united with his parents' church at Bethesda, but during the four years pastorate of Rev. J. Marion Boyd on the Rock Hill circuit, some time about 1877, he organized Antioch Church, with a large membership. Among those who came into the Church were Brother Isom and wife; he at once became an earnest and efficient member of the Methodist Church.

I found him a leading official member when I became his pastor in 1884. I never knew a more faithful and loyal steward. About this time he had a growing impression that he must preach the gospel. In the face of great difficulties he took up the educational proposition for the ministry. He continued his farm and went to school. Then as a local preacher, he worked as a supply for three years, still pursuing his studies.

At the Conference in Charleston in 1892 he entered the S. C. Conference. He served the church for twenty-seven years as an itinerant preacher until the fall of 1919, he was stricken with paralysis, and lingered for a little more than a year and peacefully fell asleep in Jesus.

Brother Isom was a good preacher, a hard student, a kind, a wise pastor, he never allowed any work to suffer loss under his ministry. He left it in better condition than he found it.

Brother Isom was first married in 1875 to Miss Sarah Palina Kidd of York County, S. C. She was a most helpful companion to him both before and after he entered the ministry. To them were born four boys and three girls, all of them doing well in the Church and world. Their mother passed away about eight years ago, leaving the sweet memory to her husband and children of the beautiful life she had lived before them and for them.

Brother Isom was again married a few years before his death to Miss Luila Whitmire, who survives him. We are sure it is well with him and that he now realizes what it is to be "Absent from the body" and to be present with the Lord.

J. B. TRAYWICK.

Rev. Marion Dargan.

On the last Sunday of November, 1920, in Greenwood, S. C., Reverend Marion Dargan fell on sleep and was gathered to his fathers. He was a man among men, a stalwart among soldiers of the Cross, and in the days of his strength a leader of our conference. Fearless and full of courage he bowed only to God, friendly and full of kindness his hands were ready to help any of his fellows in need. A tireless worker and full of energy, he was daunted by no task, and success followed him where many would have failed. A consciously saved man and minister he was a seeker of souls, and many were led by him to the Cross and salvation, ready for any work of his church nothing satisfied him but leading men to Jesus. When his health failed there was a great gap in our ministry.

Marion Dargan was the son of the Hon. Julius A and Mrs. Martha I. Dargan. He was born in Darlington, S. C., April 28, 1857. His education was begun in the schools of his native town, then in charge of Allan McP. Hamby, was continued in the Charleston High School under Rev. V. C. Dibble, and he graduated in the Theological department of Vanderbilt University, where he also attended some schools in the literary department. He was converted and joined the church in his boyhood. When about seventeen years old the call to the ministry came to him. After a conflict of years he yielded to this call, and thenceforward gave himself with energy and whole-heartedness to his life work. He was licensed to preach and supplied Lynchburg and St. Luke's in 1884, and in December of that year he entered the South Carolina Conference. Here he made rapid advancement and was appointed to more and more important charges. From 1893 to 1895 he was the diligent agent of Columbia Female College. After this agency he was appointed to Greenwood and then, in 1899, he

began his best service—in the presiding eldership. For nine years he was the tireless leader of his brethren, leading them to successful labors in soul winning and in all else pertaining to the work of a Methodist preacher. Never sparing himself, he advanced every district which he served. Meanwhile he won the hearts of preachers and laymen.

On March 5, 1884, he married Miss Annie H. Hicklin, daughter of Dr. J. W. Hicklin of Chester County, S. C. She was a true help-meet in his life and labors and in the days of his sickness and suffering she and his daughter were angels of ministry and comfort. Three children were born of this union, Edina, Marion, Jr., and William Hicklin, and they and the mother survive him. Their sorrow in his death is shared by multitudes all over the State.

Brother Dargan was an earnest student of the Word of God. He carried beaten oil into the sanctuary. By his preaching and by whatever other means he could use, he sought to save men—and had large success. He was a manly man, but full of courtesy and kindness. He was true in his friendships, and the more a friend needed him the more faithful he stood by. To his Divine friend he clove with all his heart. Until his failing years he had unusually business ability. When reverses came he surrendered all he had to meet his obligations. For nearly six years his health failed more and more until the end came on the morning of November 28, 1920. He suffered much, far more than most, but he held fast to his faith. He longed for "the rest that remaineth for the people of God," but he did not murmur or charge God foolishly. In due time he "heard the voice from Heaven saying, 'Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord,'" and went to be "forever with the Lord.

JOHN O. WILLSON.

Bishop Walter Russell Lambuth.

In a very discriminating and felicitous tribute to his departed colleague, Bishop Candler characterized Bishop Lambuth as "the foreign minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South," as Thomas Coke was justly called "the foreign minister of Methodism" in his day. Measured by any of the accredited tests of greatness he will go down in history as one of the apostolic characters of our Church. The eleventh chapter of the Hebrews has never been finished, and it is now added the name of Bishop Walter R. Lambuth.

From his mother's womb he seemed destined for a great missionary career, and for the great world task to which he gave himself with unstinted devotion, he was richly endowed by heredity as well as by training. Bishop McTyeire's observation concerning Wesley, that "when the Lord would do a work in the world a man is got ready," obviously applies to Bishop Lambuth. His great-grand-father was a missionary in Tennessee in the opening years of the nineteenth century; his grandfather was a missionary to the French and Indians; and his father went to China in 1854, and there in the same year on the 10th of November, the bishop was born in the city of Shanghai.

And like most great leaders of men and of movements, in preparation for his work Bishop Lambuth added to his splendid natural endowments extended and painstaking training in the best schools. The first fifteen years of his life were spent in China, breathing the atmosphere and imbibing the spirit of missions. In 1869 he was sent to the United States for his education, graduating from Emory and Henry College in 1875, and from the medical department of Vanderbilt University two years later. In 1877 he married the daughter of Dr. D. C. Kelly, and went to China as a medical mission-

ary. But after a few years of field work he returned to America and pursuing post graduate work, took a second M. D. degree from the Bellevue Hospital Medical College of New York, and then took special courses in surgery in Edinburgh and London.

When to the inheritance of his birth, and his heroic faith and flaming passion for souls and his absolute self-abandonment to God and duty, you add such thorough equipment, we are prepared to understand the extraordinary record of constructive work and high achievement that are accredited to him.

We can only name some of the most conspicuous. He founded hospitals at Soochow and Peking; with his father established our mission in Japan; founded the Palmore Gakuin and the Kwansei Gakuin University in Japan; established the Monterey Hospital; one of six commissioners in the establishment of the union Japanese Methodist Church; for ten years editor of the *Review of Missions*; vice president of the Board of Missions of the United States and Canada; Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America; vice chairman of the Commission of Eleven of the Edinburgh World Missionary Conference; wrote three notable books, "Side Lights on the Orient," "Winning the World for Christ," and "Medical Missions;" established the Congo Mission in central Africa in 1914; organized the Siberia-Manchuria Mission of our Church in 1920; spent the last nine months of the war at the front in France as a member of the Chaplain Board United States Army War Staff; member of the Famine Relief Committee for China in 1920, for which he was instrumental in raising a million dollars; Missionary Secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South for eighteen years, during which period he inaugurated a great forward-mission movement for our Church; bishop of our Church since 1910.

Bishop Lambuth was a great traveler. In 1911 he explored Central Africa, traveling a thousand miles on foot through dangerous jungles, where a white man had never before set foot, braving the perils of wild beasts and savages and the tsetse fly. Previous to this he had traveled in South America, where he endured many privations, and it was for his work as an explorer that he was honored by being made a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society of England. He crossed both the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans more frequently than Coke crossed the Atlantic. His feet pressed the soil of every continent except Australia and he literally circumnavigated the globe for the propagation of the gospel in foreign fields.

A few years ago a bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church said that Bishop Lambuth was "the greatest living missionary," and this testimony was not an invidious one, nor overappraisal. One who knew him intimately pays this tribute: "He had the foresight of a statesman, the courage of a soldier, the brains of a philosopher, the heart of a lover, the camaraderie of a brother, the simple faith of a child, and the zeal of a saint of God."

Dr. J. C. C. Newton, one of our oldest missionaries in Japan, thus gives us the estimate placed on Bishop Lambuth by the missionaries in the field: "In personal Christian fellowship and inspiring influence he has been to us what no other has ever been; and he has wrought a mighty work out here in these Oriental fields, which no other has ever been able to do. In deep insight into the Oriental mind and in a sympathetic, helpful attitude toward them, he has not even been approached by any one."

As a citizen of the world, Bishop Lambuth's spirit and achievements moved far beyond the bounds of denominational organization and bounds, and his loss is mourned by all Churches in all lands.

Seized with illness while holding the Japan Mission Conference, he submitted to a major operation in the General Hospital at Yokohama. The operation seemed to be successful and the wound healing normally, he was pronounced out of danger. But after the tenth day there was a relapse, with high fever and serious heart complications, followed by a blood clot on the brain and after lying in a state of coma for three days, our great and good Bishop passed away at 5:30 A. M. on September 26th, without regaining consciousness.

His body was buried in Shanghai by the side of his mother, in the city where he was born sixty-seven years ago. And quoting again from Bishop Candler. "There he will sleep till the resurrection morn, and many who loved him, and who were blessed by his ministrations, will go often to his tomb and speak their tearful benedictions upon his name; men and women of an alien race and strange speech, whom he brought to Christ, weeping there will bless his memory. And the whole Church will lament him."

Mrs. Mary H. Dagnall.

Mrs. Mary Hellams Dagnall, the beloved wife of Rev. Richard R. Dagnall was born and lived near Dials Church in Laurens County South Carolina. She was the daughter of William and Eliza Gray Hellams. She was married to Rev. R. R. Dagnall in the fall of 1867. There never was a more congenial union on earth. Their lives flowed in one loving channel for fifty years; then the current was divided five years ago when he was taken from her side by death, only to be reunited when she too crossed the divine to be with him and their Lord for evermore.

J. B. TRAYWICK.

Mrs. Margaret E. Johnson

Mrs. Margaret Elizabeth Johnson, daughter of Robin and Elizabeth Baily Smith, was born January 1st, 1834 in York County, S. C., and died May 14, 1921. She was happily married to the Rev. L. A. Johnson of the South Carolina Conference, September 14, 1865.

She was converted when quite young and united with the M. E. Church South. For many years she exemplified the life of Christ and for forty years occupied the responsible position of an itinerants wife.

Brother Johnson preceded her by 23 years into the great beyond; but her widowed life was peaceful and happy in the midst of her devoted children and friends; and she was full of faith and joy in the Holy Ghost.

To human ken her life seemed complete. She filled up the measure of four score and more years. She reached the superannuate period of a Methodist preachers life and settled in her own home and finally she ascended in Holy triumph.

She filled to the brim the measure of wife and mother. In all the years of his high calling the heart of husband safely trusted in her, and she did him good every day of his life. To her children she was a wise counsellor and thorough companion. Her quiet ways were to her children and all who knew her, strength and inspiration.

Her personal character was strong and symmetrical, rich in coloring and mellow with ripeness. In her, patience had its perfect work, long years of suffering thoroughly refining her even as gold is purified by fire.

She approached the final conflict with a firm faith in God, and in Holy triumph she passed to her reward.

We expect to meet her again in the home of the God above.

J. K. WALKER.

Mrs. Martha Clifton

Mrs. Martha Clifton, daughter of Dr. J. W. Hicklin of Chester, S. C., and wife of the late Rev. Jesse A. Clifton, D. D. fell on sleep during the year. She was reared in a home of piety and early gave her heart to God. In young womanhood she married the man of her choice and was a faithful helpmeet until he ascended to be forever with the Lord. Then she walked widowhood's lonely way, lightened with love of children and children's children, and the friendships to which she was ever true, until the call came to her "Come higher" She smiled her answer and went to join her husband in the Paradise of God." "Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord."

JOHN O. WILLSON

OUR SAINTED DEAD.

The righteous shall be in everlasting remembrance.—Ps. 112:6.

Number.	NAME.	Born.	Admitted on Trial.	Died.	Where Buried.	Years Active.
1	W. E. Barre.....	'51	1887 South Carolina	'15	Laurens	20
2	R. A. Child.....	'50	1889 South Carolina	'15	Hendersonville, N. C..	24
3	J. K. McCain.....	'39	1871 South Carolina	'15	Gray Court	37
4	J. E. Rushton.....	'48	1881 South Carolina	'15	Bethlehem, Saluda Ct..	34
5	G. T. Harmon, Sr..	'50	1869 South Carolina	'15	Williamston	36
6	R. R. Dagnall.....	'38	1857 South Carolina	'15	Anderson	44
7	I. J. Newberry.....	'35	1873 South Carolina	'15	Washington State	8
8	R. L. Holroyd....	'63	1887 South Carolina	'15	Rock Hill	28
9	W. L. Gault.....	'75	1902 South Carolina	'16	Glendale	
10	W. B. Wharton...	'58	1892 South Carolina	'16	Waterloo	24
11	W. A. Clark.....	'27	1850 South Carolina	'17	Laurens	41
12	W. P. Meadors....	'54	1876 South Carolina	'17	Kingstree	39
13	J. G. Farr.....	'66	1907 South Carolina	'17	Foster Chapel	9
14	H. C. Mouzon.....	'59	1888 South Carolina	'17	Blacksburg	25
15	J. E. Carlisle.....	'51	1873 South Carolina	'18	Spartanburg	41
16	S. L. Rogers.....	'72	1914 South Carolina	'18	Walnut Grove	4
17	T. A. Shealy.....	'83	1912 South Carolina	'18	Beulah, Gilbert Ct....	6
18	R. E. Turnipseed..	'73	1897 South Carolina	'18	Columbia	21
19	J. M. Fridy.....	'55	1879 South Carolina	'18	Spartanburg	38
20	R. L. Duffie.....	'40	1866 South Carolina	'19	Westminster	25
21	W. T. Duncan.....	'67	1894 South Carolina	'19	Fountain Inn.	25
22	J. H. Thacker.....	'62	1891 South Carolina	'19	St. Matthews	26
23	D. P. Boyd.....	'48	1883 South Carolina	'19	Lancaster	32
24	J. N. Isom	'58	1884 South Carolina	'20	Rock Hill	27
25	Marion Dargan....	'57	1892 South Carolina	'20	Greenwood	28

In Memory

OF

MRS. R. R. DAGNALL

MRS. J. A. CLIFTON

MRS. L. A. JOHNSON

STATISTICAL REPORTS

TABLE NO. I—ANDERSON DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.							Church Property.							Membership.					Woman's Work		C. Papers Taken			
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	
Anderson—Bethel	1	73	37	16	477	38	27	4	4	\$ 6,000	\$.....	1	\$ 4,000	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 5,000	\$.....		\$.....	\$.....					86
Orville		32	24	95	346	15		4	3	9,500	300	1	7,000			6,150		1		72		1	13	1	15
St. John's		39	67	38	832	17	8	1	1	75,000	25,000	1	5,000			58,500						3	239	10	50
Antreville		28	13	5	683	13	29	4	4	10,000		1	3,000		1,200	4,000						4	86	2	34
Calhoun Falls		7	23	2	328	7	3	4	4	5,000		1	1,000		1,000	3,500						2	13	2	16
Central		9	12	22	245	3	8	3	2	4,500		1	2,500									2	46	3	31
Clemson College	2	2	20	2	115	1	2	1	1	10,000	300	1	4,000			7,500						1	23	24	6
Honea Path	1	60	9	11	500	37	14	4	3	15,000		1	5,000			7,000						3	66	2	31
Lowndesville		37	14	8	309	29	27	2	2	15,000		1	7,000	4,000		10,000						2	42	1	18
Pelzer		41	31	54	632	36	5	3	3	20,000					600	6,000						2	52	4	50
Fendleton		31	18	32	520	13	14	4	4	10,000		1	5,000		1,000	6,000			1	100	100	3	68	4	76
Piedmont		13	9	12	484	5	5	2	2	19,000	500	1	3,500			3,175						2	121	1	60
Princeton		96	51	25	507	83	9	5	4	10,000		1	2,500			3,175						3	106	2	27
Seneca		24	22	10	336	20	4	5	3	10,000		1	3,000			2,500						2	39	1	35
Starr		41	24	25	422	28	6	4	4	10,000		1	4,000			2,000						2	44	1	34
Walhalla		1	5	1	213		1	1	1	8,000		1	7,000			5,500						1	18	1	19
Walhalla Circuit		20	4	15	346	13	3	7	4	5,000		1	2,500			3,400						1	10	2	15
Westminster			9	28	544		5	8	8	6,000		2	3,000			2,000						1	20	1	12
Williamston and Belton	1	6	26	39	300	3	4	2	2	16,500		1	4,000			5,000						2	64	7	51
Total.....	5	560	418	440	8,139	361	174	69	59	\$ 259,100	\$26,100	19	\$73,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 3,800	\$ 140,400	....	1	1	\$172	\$100	37	1070	69	666

TABLE NO. II—ANDERSON DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Train- ing Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. Pupils Joining Church	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Anderson—Bethel	1	25	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	4	27	.....	17	430	475	.....	4	50	\$.....	\$ 13	\$ 270	\$ 426
Orville .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	20	.....	.....	234	254	.....	1	.....	.....	10	232	180
St. John's	1	40	.....	.....	.....	1	31	62	16	638	731	1	10	32	114	80	588	549
Antreville	3	40	.....	.....	.....	4	32	62	.....	.....	360	.....	4	.....	83	27	243	68
Calhoun Falls	1	70	11	.....	5	2	13	.....	.....	187	200	.....	1	5	57	3	75	25
Central	1	30	10	.....	3	3	22	26	9	321	371	1	.....	4	10	23	173	130
Clemson College .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	10	.....	.....	.....	122	.....	.....	.....	48	10	66	80
Honea Path .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	22	30	.....	210	259	.....	6	40	57	25	45	378
Lowndesville .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	11	12	.....	160	185	.....	.....	20	40	13	100	30
Pelzer	4	122	15	.....	110	3	43	73	55	481	635	1	8	37	77	22	268	487
Pendleton	1	46	26	.....	.....	4	37	15	.....	334	373	.....	4	29	.....	21	205	65
Piedmont	1	30	.....	.....	.....	2	34	40	36	433	543	.....	2	11	120	11	166	644
Princeton	2	48	35	.....	36	4	30	19	.....	428	481	.....	5	97	48	12	160	375
Seneca .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	12	15	.....	190	250	.....	.....	20	20	10	75	200
Starr	1	20	10	.....	37	4	34	3	.....	176	241	2	.....	38	16	5	256	212
Walhalla .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	13	21	30	.....	251	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	268	362
Walhalla Circuit .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	19	.....	.....	.....	321	.....	.....	6	.....	3	69	16
Westminster .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	34	54	.....	285	373	.....	9	.....	32	9	209	.....
Williamston and Belton	1	22	.....	7	13	2	18	10	13	191	231	.....	2	8	70	28	205	35
Total	17	493	\$ 107	\$ 7	\$ 204	57	462	418	176	4,698	6,656	5	56	397	\$ 792	\$ 325	\$ 3,673	\$ 4,262

TABLE NO. III—ANDERSON DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Annual Conference Work Assessed.	Annual Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Miss. Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Conf. Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Paid.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Insurance Premiums Paid.	Raised by Epworth Leagues.	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	For Centenary.	For Orphanage.	For Education Movement.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.
Anderson—Bethel	\$ 151	\$ 143	\$ 1,250	\$ 1,681	\$ 25	\$ 22	\$ 337	\$ 285	\$ 236	\$ 199	.....	\$ 175	.....	\$ 190	\$ 122	\$ 38	.....	\$ 696	.....	\$ 124	.....	\$ 103	.....	\$ 3,778	.....	\$ 3,778
Orville	110	90	900	733	18	11	243	134	180	125	.....	.....	.....	340	50	72	.....	502	27	.....	100	.....	.....	2,184	.....	2,184
St. John's	365	365	3,600	3,600	60	44	809	809	575	575	.....	.....	.....	4,378	1,800	423	.....	1,729	1,457	.....	3,000	398	200	20,742	500	20,242
Antreville	182	182	1,500	1,500	30	30	405	105	284	100	42	.....	.....	200	166	68	.....	301	.....	.....	250	209	.....	3,383	.....	3,383
Calhoun Falls	92	92	1,058	938	15	6	205	79	144	55	.....	.....	57	326	24	24	16	161	10	8	179	42	.....	2,035	58	1,977
Central	146	146	1,200	1,541	24	24	324	324	230	230	.....	.....	.....	25	35	.....	12	404	139	235	.....	.....	.....	3,115	.....	3,115
Clemson College	62	62	600	600	10	10	168	178	115	115	.....	.....	.....	132	124	15	.....	204	77	.....	572	70	144	2,302	70	2,232
Honea Path	241	241	2,000	2,000	40	40	540	540	380	380	.....	.....	.....	1,083	250	121	.....	1,038	256	378	1,350	357	.....	8,034	357	7,687
Lowndesville	102	100	850	850	17	17	230	230	162	162	.....	.....	.....	3,000	75	66	.....	203	118	200	219	102	125	5,455	.....	5,455
Pelzer	241	241	2,000	2,000	40	40	540	540	380	380	.....	.....	.....	218	292	.....	125	854	439	431	699	212	90	6,569	278	6,291
Pendleton	213	213	1,750	1,750	35	35	472	472	258	258	.....	.....	.....	50	46	44	26	291	207	246	.....	302	.....	3,940	.....	3,940
Piedmont	182	182	1,500	1,500	30	30	405	405	290	290	.....	.....	.....	1,131	125	.....	.....	990	656	.....	170	296	43	5,818	296	5,522
Princeton	182	182	1,800	1,800	30	30	405	405	290	290	.....	.....	.....	344	.....	10	71	594	489	399	483	345	.....	5,442	.....	5,442
Seneca	194	194	1,800	1,800	32	26	432	264	304	168	.....	.....	.....	225	100	44	.....	305	101	.....	63	150	25	3,465	100	3,365
Starr	182	170	1,300	1,214	30	18	405	300	290	212	.....	.....	.....	122	63	10	47	484	499	277	1,828	102	1,020	6,366	171	6,195
Walhalla	146	146	1,200	1,200	24	24	324	324	250	250	.....	.....	.....	45	145	.....	.....	630	96	.....	307	.....	50	3,217	.....	3,217
Walhalla Circuit	95	72	675	536	16	5	216	48	151	30	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	292	330	.....	176	74	.....	3,129	.....	3,129
Westminster	182	130	1,400	936	30	6	405	102	290	83	.....	.....	.....	89	.....	9	.....	73	.....	70	23	3	1	1,001	.....	1,001
Williamston and Belton	182	182	1,500	1,600	30	30	405	405	290	290	.....	.....	.....	155	197	43	20	338	315	513	815	198	118	5,319	84	5,235
Total	\$3,250	\$3,133	\$27,883	\$27,779	\$ 536	\$ 448	\$ 7,270	\$ 5,949	\$5,099	\$4,192	\$ 42	\$ 175	\$ 57	\$13,413	\$1,007	\$ 987	\$ 317	\$10,089	\$5,218	\$2,881	\$10,234	\$2,963	\$1,836	\$ 95,294	\$1,914	\$ 93,390

TABLE NO. 1—COKESBURY DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.						Church Property.						Insurance.					Woman's Work.		C. Papers Taken.					
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profes- sion of Faith.	Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property	Insurance Carried.	Church D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	
Abbeville		22	30	17	435	11	7	1	1	\$ 40,000	\$ 1,372	1	\$ 7,500	.....	\$ 1,200	\$ 26,000						3	139	2	42
Abbeville Circuit		36	27	14	361	20	3	3	3	17,500	.....	1	5,000	.....		9,500						5	119	.....	24
Butler		80	13	17	858	60	17	4	4	10,000	.....	1	3,000	.....		1,600						3	50	.....	28
Cokesbury		11	11	48	304	9	.....	5	5	12,000	.....	1	3,000	.....		2,800						.....	1	19	
Greenwood—Main Street	1	21	41	40	1,019	5	22	1	1	125,000	22,500	1	12,500	.....		67,000						3	226	8	235
Greenwood Mills		48	72	20	329	18	18	3	2	5,000	.....			.....		2,000						1	33	1	8
Greenwood Circuit		19	2	9	426	15	.....	4	4	4,500	.....	1	3,500	.....		3,500						2	36	.....	24
Kinards		17	3	3	299	14	2	4	3	5,000	.....	1	3,000	.....		3,000						2	39	1	9
McCormick		32	11	16	536	19	6	4	4	10,000	.....		3,000	.....		3,000						3	72	3	31
McKendree		23	4	5	341	11	5	4	4	8,000	600	.....	141	.....		3,000						.....	1	23	
Newberry—Central		4	34	19	447	2	5	1	1	25,000	.....	1	5,000	.....	10,000	10,200						3	86	2	36
Mollohon and Oakland		30	29	2	269	30	7	3	.....	3,000	.....			.....								1	33	.....	23
O'Neill Street		19	16	34	311	12	5	1	1	7,000	.....			.....		5,000						.....	1	35	
Newberry Circuit		11	3	13	587	2	15	5	5	15,000	.....	1	4,000	.....		5,100						4	68	1	21
Ninety-Six		35	12	23	573	8	9	5	4	17,000	.....	1	4,000	.....	5,000	9,500						5	105	4	40
Phoenix		19	3	6	495	10	1	3	3	10,000	.....	1	7,500	.....		5,000						2	40	1	10
Plum Branch		1	.....	6	239	1	.....	4	3	5,000	.....	1	2,000	.....		2,800						1	12	.....	12
Pomaria		7	2	5	260	.....	9	3	3	7,500	.....	1	2,000	.....		2,700						2	.....	1	5
Frosperty		15	11	10	511	1	23	2	2	3,000	.....	1	3,000	.....								2	50	2	34
Saluda		42	10	79	616	28	10	3	3	60,000	.....	1	3,000	.....		14,000						3	61	1	52
Waterloo		36	4	10	359	18	15	6	6	8,000	.....	1	3,500	.....		3,900						1	5	2	29
Whitmire	1	46	24	13	362	28	7	5	5	92,376	79,973	1	7,000	.....		3,500						1	39	1	24
Total.....	2	574	362	409	10,346	322	186	74	67	\$489,876	\$104,445	17	\$ 81,641	.....	\$ 16,200	\$214,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	1,213	33	769

TABLE NO. II—COKESBURY DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.													
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Training Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.	
Abbeville			\$	\$	\$	1	20	24	30	218	292		5	15	\$ 103	\$	27	\$ 190	\$ 335
Abbeville Circuit						3	26	12		321	358			20			13	250	5
Butler						4	40	28	20	575	615			60			13	110	.....
Cokesbury						4	27	18		178	223		1	11	12		11	58	66
Greenwood—Main Street.....	1	105	100		153	2	64	41	47	952	1,104	1	18	8	615	45			3,575
Greenwood Mills						3	25			350			1	20			7	275	100
Greenwood Circuit						4	28	20		270	317		2	18			2	100	80
Kinards						3	18			214	232			8			10	63	59
McCormick	1	32			6	4	38	42	15		382		5	27	100		14	341	200
McKendree						4	27	25			225		1	18	13		16	84	.....
Newberry—Central	1	34	10		16	1	20	32	25	216	293		4	2	26		9	254	209
Mollohon and Oakland.....	1	25			25	3	21			415	437		1	30			2	85	187
O'Neill Street	1	80			25	1	17	36		364	400		4				28	189	363
Newberry Circuit						5	41	33	23	366	463	1	6	12			26	162	76
Ninety-Six						5	43	34	36	465	578		4	25	150		25	401	1,105
Phoenix						3	22	16			350		6	10	23		21		
Plum Branch	1	50	15			2	12							1			3	50	.....
Pomaria						3	15				186			7			15	58	.....
Prosperity	2	45	12		61	2	20	54	30	334	438	2		14			21	137	25
Saluda	2	52			25	3	28	95	24	478	625		7	36	75			174	280
Waterloo						5	25			284			1	30				133	132
Whitmire						2	29	49	28	400	506		2	36		26	258	231	
Total	10	426	\$ 137	.....	\$ 311	67	606	559	278	6,400	7,974	4	68	408	\$ 1,117	\$ 334	\$ 3,372	\$ 7,028	

TABLE NO. III—COKESBURY DISTRICT

CHARGES.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Annual Conference Work Assessed.	Annual Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Miss. Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Conf. Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Paid.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Insurance Premiums Paid.	Raised by Epworth Leagues.	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	For Centenary.	For Orphanage.	For Education Movement.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.	
Abbeville	\$ 240	\$ 240	\$ 2,250	\$ 2,250	\$ 110	\$ 110	\$ 650	\$ 650	\$ 475	\$ 475	\$...	\$...	\$...	\$ 2,252	\$ 925	\$ 181	\$...	\$ 655	\$ 336	\$ 423	\$ 732	\$ 280	\$ 401	\$ 10,565	\$ 280	\$ 10,285	
Abbeville Circuit	145	135	1,450	1,149	35	35	260	136	205	91	...	...	...	2,453	...	62	...	273	76	150	...	86	...	4,616	...	4,645
Butler Circuit	140	136	1,300	1,125	55	55	360	300	270	145	165	...	...	...	125	35	...	...	85	...	178	45	...	2,394	...	2,394
Cokesbury	128	100	1,200	930	40	15	310	120	200	78	...	...	...	97	15	16	...	155	...	66	229	66	...	1,877	147	1,729
Greenwood—Main St....	390	390	3,600	3,600	175	175	990	990	750	750	...	...	...	3,852	1,624	441	253	4,235	1,430	2,800	2,250	802	7,507	31,099	802	30,297
Greenwood Mills	108	105	1,075	1,075	35	35	250	193	180	145	...	...	...	300	...	25	...	350	219	125	...	...	...	2,953	...	2,953
Greenwood Circuit	130	97	1,200	869	60	35	380	98	285	...	...	...	...	50	...	28	...	102	...	...	200	52	...	1,399	...	1,399
Kinards	145	145	1,200	1,200	70	70	385	172	300	101	...	...	...	21	...	32	...	132	126	...	141	...	...	2,139	132	2,007
McCormick	215	169	2,400	1,523	110	50	585	288	450	188	200	30	6	655	220	300	...	82	40	...	3,749	...	3,749
McKendree	85	53	850	638	40	40	206	120	125	90	...	...	...	141	...	24	...	100	...	103	13	...	...	1,321	...	1,321
Newberry—Central	220	220	2,400	2,400	105	105	570	570	425	425	...	...	...	462	450	50	25	498	372	107	1,500	209	30	7,423	125	7,298
Mollohon and Oakland.	64	64	400	500	20	20	120	120	75	75	...	...	...	260	121	...	25	266	61	380	30	...	...	1,822	...	1,822
O'Neale Street	130	130	1,300	1,300	50	50	307	307	210	210	...	...	...	...	204	132	25	551	...	395	400	297	95	4,094	605	3,489
Newberry Circuit.....	165	132	1,650	1,310	80	40	480	174	325	117	...	...	...	226	...	15	...	264	160	...	1,692	91	...	4,298	...	4,298
Ninety-Six	205	205	1,800	1,800	105	52	555	277	400	200	...	...	...	500	100	52	...	1,681	544	...	1,200	380	350	7,341	1,656	5,685
Phoenix	165	116	1,500	1,100	70	70	410	190	250	115	...	...	...	5	...	30	...	161	69	50	...	63	...	1,969	...	1,969
Plum Branch	90	50	750	500	48	48	250	52	145	50	11	...	25	50	12	...	30	20	...	848	...	848
Pomaria	85	69	800	619	40	40	225	75	145	56	...	15	...	...	...	49	...	73	...	...	...	38	...	1,026	...	1,026
Prosperity	160	148	1,500	1,367	65	65	395	216	250	139	...	...	...	...	149	...	73	183	245	32	564	279	53	3,513	...	3,513
Saluda	215	205	2,000	1,790	100	100	540	540	360	360	...	...	...	25	160	99	25	730	110	30	860	276	60	4,195	351	3,844
Waterloo	175	151	1,700	1,466	70	40	430	254	260	175	...	...	...	70	85	30	...	265	32	...	146	132	12	2,858	132	2,726
Whitmire	200	200	2,000	1,977	55	55	415	368	278	250	...	...	...	4,119	181	...	...	515	225	1,220	...	179	...	9,289	179	9,110
Total	\$3,600	\$3,260	\$34,325	\$30,518	\$1,538	\$1,305	\$ 9,073	\$ 6,210	\$6,363	\$4,235	\$ 165	\$ 15	\$...	\$14,783	\$4,400	\$1,331	\$457	\$11,894	\$ 4,322	\$ 6,181	\$10,242	\$ 3,377	\$ 8,548	\$110,817	\$ 4,409	\$106,407	

TABLE NO. I—COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.						Church Property.						Insurance.					Woman's Work		C. Papers Taken				
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profes- sion of Faith.	Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.
Aiken and Williston		9	8	3	215	5	8	2	2	\$ 17,000	\$	1	\$ 4,000	\$	\$	\$ 7,000					3	62	1	38
Aiken Circuit		27	13	6	174	5	...	3	3	2,000	...	1	1,500	200	...	...					...	...	...	24
Batesburg	1	27	22	17	368	15	7	2	2	10,000	...	1	3,000	...	...	3,000					1	35	1	41
Brookland		31	6	9	371	8	18	2	2	1,500	...	1	3,000	...	...	5,000	1				...	...	1	12
Edgewood	2	24	7	4	211	22	7	3	3	5,000	...	1	2,000	...	...	2,400				146	2	20	1	...
Columbia—Green Street	2	118	112	20	611	62	50	2	1	17,000	4,662	1	3,500	...	17,500	15,000					...	...	...	27
Main Street	4	43	55	50	1,625	17	36	1	1	65,000	...	1	12,000	...	50,000	37,000					1	31	2	32
Shandon		62	78	39	502	17	14	1	1	25,000	...	1	8,000	...	...	25,400					2	85	...	130
Washington Street	1	46	83	47	752	8	10	1	1	125,000	...	1	15,000	...	...	81,000					2	118	3	46
Waverly	1	19	29	31	321	7	11	1	1	1,500	...	1	3,500	2,500	...	11,500					4	220	12	25
Whaley Street		50	23	120	411	32	9	1	1	15,000	...	1	3,500	125	...	11,500					3	128	1	54
Edgefield		10	7	4	282	4	...	2	2	37,000	...	1	5,000	...	2,000	12,500					2	52	1	26
Fairfield		7	162	...	274	...	4	4	4	10,000	...	1	3,500	...	...	5,000					4	131	2	42
Gilbert	1	102	6	20	821	27	46	5	5	8,000	...	1	1,500	...	...	1,500					5	133	3	20
Graniteville		22	8	6	474	16	20	4	5	8,000	...	...	...	...	...	2,500					3	58	1	40
Irmo	2	36	10	15	561	5	44	5	5	7,000	400	1	2,000	...	...	1,700					1	19	2	30
Johnston		17	7	16	593	15	5	3	3	34,500	...	1	5,500	...	...	15,000					...	...	2	44
Langley		23	12	12	174	18	4	3	1	4,000	...	...	...	...	500	2,430					3	70	2	46
Leesville	1	7	14	18	330	1	8	2	2	17,000	...	1	4,000	...	...	6,000					...	...	1	...
Leesville Circuit	1	24	1	5	674	11	19	5	4	11,500	...	1	3,500	...	...	...					4	105	2	40
Lexington	1	61	22	22	585	18	38	5	4	12,000	...	1	7,000	2,400	...	6,300					...	...	1	24
North Augusta		11	18	18	247	4	2	2	2	11,000	...	1	3,000	...	...	7,500					1	18	2	24
Richland	1	26	...	1	305	6	8	5	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	1,000					1	13	1	11
Ridge Spring		3	8	7	134	3	7	1	1	7,000	...	...	...	...	590	2,000					1	30	1	30
Ridegway	1	10	2	68	134	10	1	3	3	8,000	...	1	3,500	...	...	1,100					1	32	2	22
Swansea		26	18	19	615	17	9	6	6	8,000	...	1	3,500	...	...	2,500					...	...	...	14
Wagener		13	8	12	479	10	8	5	5	7,000	...	1	2,500	275	...	...					2	24	1	23
Epworth		37	...	...	163	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					1	44	1	37
Rose Hill .....		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					...	...	1	12
Total	19	884	484	750	12,406	394	393	79	75	\$174,000	\$ 5,062	24	\$ 83,000	\$ 5,500	\$ 70,590	\$265,830	1	...	\$	\$ 146	47	1,442	48	914

TABLE NO. II—COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Training Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Aiken and Williston			\$	\$	\$	2	18	22	45	155	240		2	6	\$ 100	\$ 35	\$ 167	\$ 178
Aiken Circuit						2	8			100	108			17		9	25	5
Batesburg	1	45	10		14	2	22	28		311	361		3	16	133	49	260	317
Brookland	1	42	10		50	2	35	90	24	270	420	1	3	20	60	6	242	130
Edgewood						3	15			182	182			34		6	55	22
Columbia—Green Street	1	27	78	18	99	2	24	25	12	364	425		6	72	120	37	174	450
Main Street	3	170	150	27	501	1	41	75	150	773	1,039	1	2	60		20	770	449
Shandon	2	105	29	6	67	1	48	66	58	413	567	1	6	35	45	60	485	423
Washington Street	1					1	37	24	25	444	530	1	4	32	389	90	533	2,966
Waverley	3	130	110	8	132	1	20	60	135	178	393	1	4	13	117	34	199	250
Whaley Street.....	1	30			24	1	15	39		280	319		2	40		25	152	134
Edgefield						2	22	24	20	204	270	1	2	9	157	31	249	
Fairfield	3	124	40		60	4	48	47	8	189	292	1	1		124	24	228	462
Gilbert						5	60	102		650	821			89	40	28	350	76
Graniteville	1	40	8		20	3	24	39	110	276	452		3	18		10	819	481
Irmo						5	34			405				36		20	87	360
Johnston						3	34	62	32	450	578	1	2	14	203	31	315	305
Langley						2	17	100	42	300	459	1	3	8	17	2	178	30
Leesville						2	20	26		145	186	1	1	7		23	176	171
Leesville Circuit						5	31	10		404	445		2	24		22	130	17
Lexington	1	26	10		40	5	47	44	14	328	433	1		25		41	325	78
North Augusta	2	45	75		188	1	26	55		219	300		2	9	100	10	97	666
Richland	1	60	37		38	5	31				309		4	26		24	80	20
Ridge Spring	2	42	19		15	1	10	10		92	112			1	41	16	85	250
Ridgeway						3	20				132			10	25	11	57	
Swansea	2	69	50		53	6	47	34		423	504		3	26		23	176	144
Wagener	2	46	15		8	5	35	11			370	1		11	30	27	119	19
Epworth						1	20			214	234							
Rose Hill																		
Total	26	1,001	\$ 925	\$ 59	\$ 1,301	76	809	1,802	675	7,749	10,481	12	53	658	\$ 1,701	\$ 714	\$ 6,533	\$ 8,403

TABLE NO. III—COLUMBIA DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Annual Conference Work Assessed.	Annual Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Miss. Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Conf. Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Paid.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Insurance Premiums Paid.	Raised by Epworth Leagues.	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	For Centenary.	For Orphanage.	For Education Movement.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.
Aiken and Williston	\$ 138	\$ 138	\$ 1,675	\$ 1,850	\$ 15	\$ 15	\$ 384	\$ 384	\$ 270	\$ 270	\$..	\$..	\$..	\$ 402	\$ 176	\$..	\$..	\$ 480	\$ 215	\$ 440	\$ 1,500	\$ 149	\$ 25	\$ 6,044	\$ 249	\$ 5,875
Aiken Circuit	42	33	400	319	5	5	116	66	82	44	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	93	6	5	6	611	..	611
Batesburg	194	194	2,000	2,000	20	20	539	539	378	378	..	..	..	1,065	138	..	24	760	188	397	321	263	56	6,343	263	6,080
Brookland	117	117	1,200	1,200	12	12	324	324	227	227	..	..	..	700	60	..	60	438	30	41	127	55	15	3,406	..	3,406
Edgewood	78	58	700	636	8	8	216	93	151	64	..	..	..	43	16	..	..	77	..	..	..	22	..	1,017	22	995
Columbia—Green Street	146	146	2,400	2,400	15	15	405	405	284	284	..	..	..	1,312	373	114	195	791	622	..	1,429	124	312	7,731	..	7,731
Main Street	349	349	4,000	4,000	36	36	971	971	680	680	..	..	..	10,000	..	..	678	1,558	3,035	3,644	..	..	..	26,807	..	26,807
Shandon	242	242	3,000	3,000	25	25	674	674	472	472	..	95	..	1,258	363	109	102	1,013	898	665	1,058	..	335	10,306	..	10,306
Washington St.	349	349	4,000	4,000	36	36	971	971	680	680	..	..	133	3,076	1,200	166	..	3,978	3,880	14,677	1,629	166	177	35,118	2,577	32,541
Waverly	136	136	1,800	1,800	14	14	378	378	265	265	..	..	..	875	300	..	250	600	80	..	911	..	35	5,644	..	5,644
Whaley Street	97	97	1,300	1,300	10	10	270	270	189	189	..	..	..	644	220	50	24	286	157	47	388	66	..	3,662	..	3,662
Edgefield	174	174	1,800	1,800	18	18	485	485	340	340	..	..	..	1,600	300	82	..	612	542	600	800	..	5	6,528	..	6,528
Fairfield	146	112	1,500	1,200	15	10	405	184	284	126	..	..	..	..	31	35	140	838	249	..	..	..	..	2,925	..	2,925
Gilbert	146	137	1,500	1,381	15	15	405	372	284	248	..	..	..	..	300	8	..	466	86	..	467	30	16	3,059	..	3,059
Graniteville	133	133	1,300	1,300	14	14	370	370	260	260	..	..	..	100	160	18	28	1,300	85	125	460	180	55	4,589	180	4,409
Irmo	146	116	1,500	1,200	15	15	405	110	281	100	..	..	..	1,200	110	..	..	..	..	..	68	10	..	2,929	..	2,929
Johnston	213	213	2,200	2,200	22	22	594	594	416	416	..	..	..	..	298	110	..	1,248	663	..	1,345	490	350	7,949	854	7,095
Langley	38	38	400	215	4	4	104	83	73	58	..	..	..	225	100	..	..	227	..	..	12	13	..	975	13	962
Leesville	151	151	1,560	1,560	16	16	421	37	295	229	..	..	..	1,800	..	55	..	375	458	112	1,158	171	..	6,412	171	6,241
Leesville Circuit	102	102	1,500	1,138	11	11	284	190	199	137	..	..	..	200	..	..	..	168	..	..	67	17	..	2,030	17	2,013
Lexington	174	168	1,800	1,725	18	18	485	401	340	281	..	..	..	1,647	..	45	50	547	60	197	432	75	..	5,646	75	5,571
North Augusta	133	125	1,350	1,275	14	14	370	280	259	197	43	..	..	256	278	57	263	974	690	..	115	25	61	4,623	306	4,317
Richland	107	89	1,100	927	11	11	297	174	208	93	..	..	..	200	..	50	75	124	30	125	..	..	..	1,858	198	1,858
Ridge Spring	146	131	1,500	1,349	15	15	405	356	284	249	41	..	..	747	73	28	34	393	181	16	183	185	..	3,982	227	3,755
Ridgeway	78	65	800	637	8	8	216	103	151	42	24	..	..	37	..	15	..	197	..	62	184	64	36	1,475	88	1,387
Swansea	117	117	1,200	1,078	12	11	324	152	227	117	50	6	..	..	97	..	63	348	121	..	238	45	..	2,094	95	1,999
Wagener	121	84	1,250	854	13	13	337	135	237	94	..	..	..	900	9	..	23	130	34	..	275	45	..	2,441	..	2,441
Epworth **No Assessment.	..	..	..	..	..	28	..	28	..	..	..	..	..	45	..	..	..	..	..	..	69	..	..	170	..	170
Rose Hill** .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	\$4,013	\$3,814	\$44,735	\$42,344	\$417	\$439	\$11,156	\$8,934	\$7,819	\$6,200	\$158	\$ 98	\$133	\$28,332	\$4,586	\$958	\$2,009	\$17,962	\$12,304	\$21,241	\$13,105	\$2,327	\$1,494	\$166,374	\$5,335	\$161,317

TABLE NO. I—GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.							Church Property.							Insurance.					Woman's Work		C. Papers Taken			
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	
Clinton		27	27	31	412	11	4	1	1	\$ 50,000	\$.....	1	\$ 10,060	\$ 5,123	\$.....	\$ 23,000						1	20	2	25
Easley		7	14	7	189	5	21	1	1	5,000												1	21	1	12
Fountain Inn		3	19	12	220	1	4	1	1	2,000												2	67	2	22
Glenwood and Easley Mills.....	1	20	5	2	128	17	3	2	2			1	1,200		100	1,000									
Gray Court		25	5	7	667	20	3	5	5	18,000		1	3,000		4,000	3,500						3	100	1	50
Greenville—Bethel and Poe.....	1	22	33	28	431	7	2	2	1	40,000		1	6,000		600	3,000						2	39	1	13
Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon	1	26	23	11	105	26		3	1	4,000		1	2,500	1,400		1,500						1	14		5
Brandon and Poinsett.....	1	67	69	48	393	46	11	2	1	12,000						6,000						1	25	1	5
Buncombe Street		50	101	51	982	24	17	1	1	85,000		1	15,000	8,500		23,500						4	294	10	50
Choice Street and Mills.....		32	21	11	158	15	7								300										9
Dunean and Judson.....		56	30	40	371	42	3	2	2	17,500	978					12,625						2	40	1	30
Hampton Avenue.....	2	41	52	84	547	28	6	1	1	25,000		1	10,000			7,500						2	123		16
St. Paul.....	1	71	61	40	722	25	2	1	1	30,000		1	5,000			15,250						2	65	6	52
West Greenville		48	20	10	238	20		2	2	3,660															20
Greenville Circuit		38	9	8	658	26	1	4	4	14,500		1	3,500			1,500						2	24	1	40
Greer		37	27	10	264	23	2	1	1	25,000		1	5,000			13,550						1	65	4	21
Laurens		33	26	51	466	16	3	1	1	40,000		1	12,000			28,500						2	135	8	70
Laurens Circuit		16	40	29	235	9	4	3	1	800					700							2	28	7	3
Liberty		4	9	6	82	3		1	1	2,000		1	3,000	3,000		3,000						1	17	1	10
Norris		2		15	155	1		6	5	9,200	70														
Pickens		12	5	9	150	8	1	1	1	17,000		1	2,500			10,800						1	16	1	17
Pickens Circuit	2	33	4	4	272	19	2	5	5	3,000		1	800												15
Simpsonville	1	22	20	8	474	14	7	5	5	22,000					10,000	4,500						4	34	4	39
South Easley		20	25	11	574	12	20	5	5	25,000						3,000						1	7	1	11
South Greer	1	55	163	45	479	46	4	4	3	19,000					300	2,000									9
Travelers Rest		30	7	6	469	20		5	5	9,000	2,500	1	1,500			700									20
Total	11	797	815	584	9841	464	127	65	57	\$ 478,660	\$ 3,448	16	\$ 81,000	\$ 18,023	\$ 16,000	\$ 164,425						35	1134	54	576

TABLE NO. II—GREE NVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Training Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Clinton	1	22	\$ 10	\$.....	\$ 4	1	22	15	39	250	326	1	3	26	\$ 200.00	\$ 22.00	\$ 261.00	\$ 330.00
Easley	1	21				1	10	37	21	63	122		2	5	25.00	6.00	87.00	.....
Fountain Inn.....	1	50	50	3	90	1	12	15		140	167		1		30.00	14.00	98.00	215.00
Glenwood and Easley Mills.....	1	18				2	12	25	15	100	169			15		11.00		.....
Gray Court.....	1	65	40		5	4	30	30		325	385		6	20	20.00	50.00	145.00	.....
Greenville—Bethel and Poe.....						2	22	22		54	463		3	20	143.00	10.00	305.00	200.00
Bleachery and Mt. Lebanon.....	1	23				2	12		6	175	195			21			119.00	55.00
Brandon and Poinsett.....	1	34			20	1	15			350	350			39	35.00	6.00	140.00	219.00
Buncombe Street	1	50	25		105	1	35	50		648	733		7	43	211.00	42.00	464.00	1,355.00
Choice Street and Mills.....	1	25	25		45	1	9	34			114			13	29.00	10.00	39.00	55.00
Duncan and Judson.....	3	90	75		70	2	20			370	390			43	305.00	10.00	231.00	404.00
Hampton Avenue.....	1	40			90	1	18	55	25	350	430	1		34	90.00	25.00	296.00	211.00
St. Paul.....	2	58	175		192	1	28	55	30	612	697		3	41	69.00	25.00	352.00	505.00
West Greenville.....	2	42				2	25	20		8	327		6	15			40.00	25.00
Greenville Circuit.....						4	40	35		335	410			37			304.00	.....
Greer	1	20	15		65	1	23	21	10	222	276	1		45	74.00	16.00	154.00	342.00
Laurens	1	44	38		5	1	20	25		505	550	1	3	24	441.00	32.00	375.00	1,032.00
Laurens Circuit						2	17	26		185	228	1		4		14.00	144.00	428.00
Liberty						1	7	24	6	71	109		2	3		8.00	99.00	116.00
Norris						5	12				108							
Pickens	1	25				1	12		7	115	122	1	3	12		11.00	125.00	121.00
Pickens Circuit						4	25				220			27			57.00	.....
Simpsonville	3	65	15		10	5	35	20		402	422			5		5.00	172.00	233.00
South Easley	2	75	25		60	4	30	42			350		4	12			154.00	15.00
South Greer						3	27	30		345	375		4	43	42.00	17.00	294.00	246.00
Travelers Rest						4	18				340			10			66.00	.....
Total	25	767	493	3	761	57	526	581	159	4625	8378	6	47	557	\$ 1,714.00	\$ 334.00	\$ 4,521.00	\$6,107.00

TABLE NO. III—GREENVILLE DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Annual Conference Work Assessed.	Annual Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Miss. Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Conf. Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Paid.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Insurance Premiums Paid.	Raised by Epworth Leagues.	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	For Centenary.	For Orphanage.	For Educa. Movement.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.
Clinton	\$ 238	\$ 238	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,500	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 654	\$ 654	\$ 457	\$ 457	\$ 200	\$...	\$...	\$ 4,604	\$ 1,145	\$ 136	\$ 14	\$ 849	\$ 139	\$ 238	\$ 735	\$ 268	\$ 99	\$ 12,301	.....	\$ 11,797
Easley	143	143	1,500	1,500	15	...	254	83	172	53	...	...	964	...	64	...	...	115	330	356	282	...	41	3,632	139	3,493
Fountain Inn.....	190	163	2,000	1,679	20	5	529	114	380	80	...	...	...	290	134	10	143	357	190	200	48	215	10	3,637	215	3,422
G'lw'd and E'y Mills	138	30	400	347	4	...	84	...	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	74	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gray Court	171	171	1,800	1,800	18	18	491	491	343	343	...	...	...	3,870	46	47	50	215	527	658	700	100	658	9,694	...	9,694
G'v'e—Bethel & Foe	76	76	800	800	8	8	218	218	154	154	...	...	...	...	188	...	...	648	174	510	235	195	...	3,206	...	3,206
B'ch'y & Mt L'bon	45	35	525	371	5	5	95	62	86	41	...	...	...	250	34	43	...	175	46	55	30	7	...	1,154	...	1,154
Brandon & P'sett	95	95	1,000	1,000	10	10	246	246	175	175	...	...	...	126	135	...	20	400	143	897	236	7	72	3,562	...	3,562
Buncombe St.	380	380	4,000	4,000	40	40	1,090	1,090	762	762	...	...	...	11,800	5,414	100	130	2,072	4,562	1,009	1,295	2,010	600	35,264	1,469	33,795
Choice St. & Mills	38	38	400	400	4	4	109	109	76	76	...	...	...	103	279	...	70	94	...	685	123	15	79	1,975	...	1,975
Duncan & Judson	67	67	700	945	7	7	191	191	134	134	...	...	...	225	403	...	145	950	210	600	347	70	214	4,508	225	4,283
Hampton Ave.....	190	198	2,000	2,000	20	20	491	301	343	161	...	...	...	460	980	29	90	622	480	1,303	527	77	...	6,848	...	6,848
St. Paul	342	342	3,600	3,600	36	43	825	825	572	572	...	605	...	618	4,015	128	367	956	481	767	2,170	184	127	15,800	429	15,371
W. Greenville	67	67	700	700	7	...	191	111	134	98	...	...	...	...	25	...	...	75	...	270	268	...	...	1,619	...	1,619
Greenville Circuit ..	171	174	1,800	1,800	18	18	491	274	343	137	...	...	...	78	35	...	...	304	173	140	400	121	...	3,657	...	3,657
Greer	190	190	2,000	2,000	20	24	529	529	380	380	125	...	...	1,859	366	70	79	587	835	465	800	287	158	9,024	694	8,330
Laurens	285	285	3,000	3,000	30	30	825	825	572	572	204	...	...	180	1,103	122	43	1,880	943	109	1,438	875	120	11,729	875	10,854
Laurens Circuit.....	55	55	605	605	6	3	158	98	111	69	...	...	...	409	...	...	...	586	20	121	...	...	...	1,966	200	1,766
Liberty	55	60	600	600	6	6	163	166	115	112	...	...	...	470	30	...	...	223	81	...	...	80	15	1,843	...	1,843
Norris	38	38	400	619	4	4	117	29	82	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	12	...	...	...	...	741
Pickens	95	83	1,000	670	10	...	273	200	192	129	...	...	...	176	126	56	...	301	535	95	...	...	...	2,371	176	2,195
Pickens Circuit	43	41	500	470	5	4	137	95	96	25	...	...	...	...	80	...	...	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	776
Simpsonville	171	174	1,800	1,800	18	8	491	273	343	213	...	...	...	605	122	24	25	664	101	200	300	259	15	4,783	259	4,524
South Easley	143	123	1,500	1,236	15	5	347	25	243	25	...	...	...	175	25	15	120	225	15	...	...	...	...	1,989	85	1,904
South Greer	122	101	1,325	1,089	13	13	334	174	235	122	...	...	...	2,870	...	...	...	628	...	91	29	24	...	5,141	29	2
Travelers Rest	152	152	1,600	1,636	16	10	218	96	154	77	...	...	...	230	15	...	...	66	...	80	...	20	...	...	...	2,352
Total	\$ 3,600	\$ 3,519	\$ 38,055	\$ 37,167	\$ 380	\$ 310	\$ 9,551	\$ 7,229	\$ 7,162	\$ 4,992	\$ 529	\$ 605	\$ 964	\$ 29,308	\$ 14,764	\$ 780	\$ 1,296	\$ 13,053	\$ 9,985	\$ 8,832	\$ 10,039	\$ 4,839	\$ 2,232	\$ 145,703	\$ 4,795	\$ 139,163

TABLE NO. I—ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.							Church Property.						Insurance.					Woman's Work		C. Paper Taken				
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Churches D. or D.	Insurance Carried.	Amount of Damage.			Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	Conference Organ.	General Organ.
Blacksburg	13	6	4	150	...	7	1	1	1	\$ 6,000	\$.....	1	\$ 3,000	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 5,000	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	1	16	\$...	...	11
Blackstock	5	5	4	154	3	13	2	2	2	4,500	.....	1	2,000	.....	.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	8	.....	...	10
Chester—Baldwin Mill.....	31	32	5	152	25	16	1	1	1	2,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	700	1,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	9
Bethel	48	58	43	662	22	4	1	1	1	30,000	3,367	1	10,000	1,400	.....	26,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	193	.....	7	90
Chester Circuit .....	...	...	15	610	...	7	4	4	4	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	48	.....	...	...
Clover	3	13	165	545	2	7	3	3	3	8,000	.....	1	3,500	1,200	.....	4,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	16	.....	2	25
East Lancaster	62	1	15	759	6	13	4	4	4	10,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	.....	5,100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Fort Lawn	70	17	13	394	26	41	4	4	4	15,000	.....	1	4,000	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	100	.....	3	23
Fort Mill	2	70	5	25	748	20	17	3	3	40,000	4,000	1	8,000	.....	1,000	22,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	60	.....	8	55
Great Falls	7	23	9	376	2	5	3	2	2	5,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	40	.....	1	10
Hickory Grove	4	11	57	558	2	2	4	4	4	10,000	1,250	1	5,000	.....	3,000	3,400	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	24	.....	2	25
Lancaster	1	36	40	4	393	12	9	1	1	20,000	.....	1	5,000	.....	.....	15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	34	.....	2	42
Lancaster Circuit	56	19	12	553	9	22	4	4	4	6,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
New Zion and Cannon	2	21	5	.....	1	4	2	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
North Rock Hill Circuit	29	10	9	442	9	14	4	4	4	7,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	.....	5,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	35	.....	2	10
Richburg	29	4	33	423	4	30	3	3	3	5,500	550	1	3,000	.....	.....	4,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	58	.....	1	30
Manchester and Highland Park ..	3	44	44	13	434	30	12	2	2	12,000	.....	1	3,000	1,250	650	6,800	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	27	.....	3	1
Rock Hill—St. John's.....	39	75	65	614	21	8	1	1	1	80,000	.....	1	10,000	.....	.....	16,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	126	.....	5	41
West Main Street	2	14	17	314	1	3	1	1	1	8,000	.....	1	4,000	550	.....	3,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	30	.....	.....	...
Rock Hill Circuit	14	10	4	386	...	21	3	3	3	5,500	.....	1	3,500	600	.....	4,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	40	.....	1	10
Van Wyck	23	15	14	533	2	20	4	4	4	7,500	.....	1	1,500	.....	3	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	11	.....	.....	22
Winnsboro	25	23	17	299	13	9	2	1	1	20,000	.....	1	3,000	.....	500	9,700	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	111	.....	2	20
Winnsboro Mills	17	9	6	83	9	5	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	9	.....	.....	...
York	16	17	48	347	4	6	3	3	3	17,000	.....	1	3,500	.....	.....	6,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	52	.....	2	14
Total	6	645	472	602	9929	223	296	61	57	\$ 320,500	\$ 9,167	19	\$ 78,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 6,378	\$ 157,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	1038	.....	42	456

TABLE NO. II—ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Training Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Blacksburg			\$		\$	1	9	26		85	111			5	\$ 17	\$ 3	\$ 100	\$ 24
Blackstock						2	10	10		80	100			5		10	25	105
Chester—Baldwin Mills						1	9				180			20	45	4	88	199
Bethel	1	78	100		114	1	26	20	72	318	410		3	45	355	12	316	1932
Chester Circuit						3	22				293					16	129	
Clover	1	21			25	3	36	55	64	345	503	1	6	3		32	246	223
East Lancaster	2		30		60	4	43	68	30	590	731		10	51		54	250	50
Fort Lawn						4	30	12		298	340		3	44		25	374	100
Fort Mill	1	30			75	3	36	30	20	849	869	2	6			20	375	
Great Falls	1	30				3	19				375			2		24	110	81
Hickory Grove						4	40	50		369	459		2	4		23	133	977
Lancaster	1	42	25		50	1	18	32	10	280	332	1		30	90	20	291	385
Lancaster Circuit	2	189			20	3	25	23		435	575		1	44		5	218	324
New Zion and Cannon						1	8										14	
North Rock Hill Circuit						4	26	25		349	400	2	2	25	25	14		75
Richburg	1	35				3	21			300	321		2	21	21	46	175	340
Manchester and Highland Park	1	17			20	2	24	25			385			30	100	10	275	186
Rock Hill—St. John's	1	37	75		25	1	36	35	16	552	640	1	3	16	150	33	434	1283
West Main Street	1					1	10				300						40	100
Rock Hill Circuit	2	22				3	21				219			10	39	12	98	293
Van Wyck						4	24	18	10	377	415			22		6	90	
Winnsboro	1	70				2	22	17	9	179	227		2	23	45	22	161	18
Winnsboro Mills	1	12				1	9				118					7	118	
York						3	16	7	12	167	202		3	9	43	10	107	32
Total	17	583	\$ 230		\$ 389	58	560	453	243	5573	8505	7	43	409	\$ 930	\$ 408	\$ 4,167	\$ 6,727

TABLE NO. III—ROCK HILL DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Conference Work Assessed.	Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Insurance Premium.	Raised by Epworth Leagues	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	For Centenary.	For Orphanage.	Education Movement.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.
Blacksburg	\$ 92	\$ 92	\$ 1,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 10	\$ 11	\$ 188	\$ 188	\$ 131	\$ 131	\$...	\$ 250	\$...	\$ 18	\$...	\$ 144	\$ 126	\$ 500	\$ 24	\$ 75	\$.....	\$.....	\$ 2,534	\$.....	\$ 2,534
Blackstock	69	69	750	750	8	8	145	106	103	76	...	406	...	11	...	...	415	...	9	...	206	25	2,071	...	2,071
Baldwin Mills	55	55	600	600	9	9	160	160	110	110	...	19	...	32	...	340	...	317	23	...	49	169	1,883	278	1,604
Bethel—Chester	276	276	3,000	3,000	45	45	810	810	570	570	...	1,693	...	200	214	2,615	2,249	1,799	404	295	412	75	15,371	214	15,157
Chester Circuit	138	130	1,500	1,282	22	23	404	239	383	155	...	98	...	...	...	240	374	206	96	16	62	...	2,694	...	...
Clover	210	210	2,290	2,290	24	10	431	188	302	142	...	135	...	50	25	518	180	128	80	...	125	100	4,181	80	4,101
East Lancaster	184	184	2,000	2,000	30	30	539	485	378	340	...	50	...	24	81	75	30	30	90	...	40	...	4,433	354	4,079
Fort Lawn	156	156	1,700	1,700	24	24	421	421	295	295	...	240	...	39	...	500	225	970	...	...	378	1,329	6,135	...	6,135
Fort Mill	184	184	2,000	2,500	30	30	539	539	378	378	100	5,619	400	150	75	900	265	...	85	...	200	...	11,425	...	11,425
Great Falls	138	130	1,500	1,440	22	22	404	370	283	265	...	...	...	22	...	215	175	350	103	120	250	306	3,768	...	3,768
Hickory Grove	147	147	1,600	1,600	24	24	431	431	302	302	...	2,850	...	22	...	1,132	65	747	...	55	25	150	7,550	...	7,550
Lancaster	276	276	3,000	3,000	36	36	647	647	454	454	...	920	...	85	75	996	313	1,400	250	500	250	1,650	10,852	552	10,300
Lancaster Circuit	110	110	1,200	1,320	16	16	292	292	207	207	...	778	...	...	20	431	...	46	...	...	86	125	3,432	...	3,432
New Zion and Cannon .....	...	25	...	217	3	3	52	18	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	9	...	...	59	353	...	353
North Rock Hill Circuit	110	120	1,200	1,200	17	15	316	315	221	222	...	250	...	22	...	119	16	109	75	...	50	25	2,532	...	2,532
Richburg	165	139	1,800	1,505	25	21	444	377	311	261	...	...	...	35	...	582	524	...	...	...	...	...	3,500	...	3,500
Manchester and H'land Park	74	76	810	810	8	8	218	208	151	151	...	156	...	43	20	461	72	219	...	12	200	501	2,936	200	2,736
Rock Hill—St. John's	276	276	3,000	3,000	45	45	810	810	570	570	...	62	...	199	100	1,900	1,505	...	...	...	1,257	3,379	13,103	...	13,103
West Main Street	82	58	900	630	12	...	244	99	169	90	...	249	...	...	...	150	50	...	...	...	15	...	1,341	...	1,341
Rock Hill Circuit	138	139	1,500	1,500	22	23	363	363	254	254	...	...	...	47	...	442	200	309	213	...	...	61	3,550	213	3,337
Van Wyck	84	79	916	861	9	9	246	104	171	105	...	100	...	10	...	160	57	38	98	...	...	...	1,619	...	1,619
Winnsboro	165	165	1,800	1,800	22	23	404	404	283	283	...	1,790	...	62	...	246	422	700	146	71	122	100	6,351	...	6,351
Winnsboro Mills	36	13	400	270	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	124	18	...	...	...	...	426	...	426	
York	147	147	1,600	1,600	19	19	336	336	235	235	...	851	...	...	...	192	17	492	50	130	205	185	4,459	...	4,459
Total	\$3,312	\$3,256	\$36,066	\$35,875	\$482	\$454	\$ 8,844	\$ 7,910	\$6,297	\$5,596	\$100	\$16,516	\$400	\$ 1,071	\$610	\$12,505	\$ 6,924	\$ 8,775	\$ 1,746	\$ 1,283	\$ 3,726	\$ 8,420	\$119,567	\$ 1,916	\$112,913

TABLE NO. I—SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Membership.							Church Property.							Insurance.					Woman's Work		C. Papers Taken			
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profession of Faith.	Additions by Certificate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.	
Buffalo		70	27	34	213	45	10	1		\$			\$		\$ 575										5
Campobello		3	14	24	339	2	4	4	3	18,000		1	3,000								1	12	2	15	
Carlisle		11	9	5	187	11	20	5	5	7,500		1	2,000		500						2				
Chesnee		43	35	26	382	28	1	4	4	6,600					585	1,000							2	12	
Clifton and Glendale	1	15	11	13	394	14	8	4	3	15,000		1	1,000			9,000							1	17	
Cowpens		19	17	35	453	9	12	4	4	38,000		1	2,000		13,000									10	
Cross Anchor		8	6	19	381	6	1	6	6	8,800		1	4,000								2	39	3	11	
Duncan Circuit		74	9	14	997	69	34	4	4	20,000		1	5,000		140	6,800					2	35	3	17	
Enoree		24	6	10	462	15	2	4	3	15,000	3,000					5,000					3	60	1	30	
Gaffney—Buford Street		8	28	23	339	5	4	1	1	20,000		1	3,500	700		6,500					1	32	3	20	
Limestone Street		4	15	11	175	2		2	2	14,000		1	4,000			2,000							1	8	
Gaffney Circuit		9	23	75	472	1	32	5	5	6,000		1	3,000										1	11	
Inman		31	32	45	654	27	5	3	4	29,500		1	5,000		300	6,000							1	43	
Jonesville		31	15	21	595	23	9	3	3	18,000		1	3,500			15,700					3	20	4	38	
Kelton	3	36	25	36	601	32	1	5	4	18,000		1	2,000			1,000					1	7	1	10	
Pacolet		5	8	21	1,107	3	4	5	5	17,000		1	4,000		1,000						1	14	3	38	
Pacolet Mills		64	25	11	351	32	12	1	1	12,000					200	4,000					4	233	1	15	
Spartanburg—Bethel	2	50	113	55	942	31	28	1	1	50,000		1	6,000			30,000					4	194	7	40	
Central	1	54	67	36	1,031	23	35	1	1	100,000	16,000	2	25,000	12,500	12,500	54,500					5	230	18	95	
Drayton and Beaumont		23	12	25	236	3	5	2	2	8,000		1	2,000			3,600					1	15	1	16	
Duncan	1	78	18	8	458	70	2	1	1	25,000	600	1	4,000			1,500					1	18	1	14	
El Bethel		4	11	22	228			1	1	4,000		1	4,300	3,000		3,200					1	18		8	
Saxon	1	16	52	24	161	4	7	1	1	5,000						5,000					1	25	1	7	
Whitney		29	42		183	20	3	2	1	1,000						400							2	8	
Tucapau		46	12	7	250	10		3	2	4,000						2,000							1	7	
Union—Bethel		6	16	14	338	1	13	1	1	5,000						2,500					1	19	1	12	
Grace	1	9	19	13	488	7	8	1	1	100,000	15,000	1	15,000			49,650					5	174	5	25	
Green Street		31	18	8	360	10	63	1	1	10,000					1,500	4,500					1	17		30	
Unity and Sardis.....		1	6	16	249		5	2	2	8,500						4,000					1	6		7	
Woodruff		64	29	35	514	56	6	2	3	78,000		1	3,000		2,000	14,000					2	43	1	25	
Total.....	10	866	720	686	14,226	559	334	80	75	\$661,900	\$ 35,470	21	\$101,300	\$ 15,200	\$ 32,300	\$231,850					43	1,211	65	594	

TABLE NO. II—SPARTANBURG DISTRICT.

CHARGES.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Training Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Buffalo			\$	\$	\$	1	16	18		358	376		2	56	\$ 90	\$ 13	\$ 202	\$ 226
Campobello	1	17				3	23			154				3		7	92	43
Carlisle						2	12	9		40	52			8	20	6	55	4
Chesnee						4	25	15		280	324		3	34	14	13	117	10
Clifton and Glendale						4	36	68			108		7	12		37	310	135
Cowpens	2	100	40		7	4	38	56		334	428		12	18	64	18	165	72
Cross Anchor						3	19		18	159	159			5		9	43	30
Duncan Circuit						4	37	41		473	573		2	27	70	12	210	96
Enoree						3	21	25			274		2	15	65	15	75	100
Gaffney—Buford Street	3	71	35	10	365	1	18	39		190	249			7	88	25	177	97
Limestone Street						1	10				130		4		39	7	102	36
Gaffney Circuit						4	22	50	10	276	359		1	4	11	6	61	51
Inman						3	51	68	60		708	1	8	33	31	15	225	88
Jonesville						3	35	64		315	415		2	26	325	17	160	125
Kelton	1	18	6	1	25	4	30	19		250	299		3	22	36	6	184	150
Pacolet	1				10	4	42	30		400	476		3	5	60	10	140	145
Pacolet Mills	1	40	25		12	1	16	123		425	564		6	41	127	11	210	171
Spartanburg—Bethel	1	50		20	15	1	75	175	111	1251	1612	1	8	45	195	150	1125	2916
Central	1	87				1	50	87	68	400	555	1	4	38	1,133	25	516	223
Drayton and Beaumont						2	21	33		191	257		4	6	10	8	165	208
Duncan	1	36	53		115	1	18				350		4	25	70		180	80
El Bethel						1	13	20		420	440		1	2	75	4	161	121
Saxon	1	52	35		68	1	11			200			2	10		11	236	42
Whitney	1	12								165				18		6	105	34
Tucapau	1	25				2	14	50	25	201	290			27			267	40
Union—Bethel	2	60			25	1	14	60		250	310		2	6	75	8	120	297
Grace						1	36	51	40	267	394	1	7	8	48	21	223	404
Green Street						1	13	35	21	336	415					15	966	16
Unity and Sardis	1	17			12	2	21	40			325				60	37	141	14
Woodruff	2	33	15	3	9	3	24	35	8	280	347	1	6	35	36	25	204	290
Total.....	20	608	\$ 209	\$ 31	\$ 663	66	761	1,211	361	7,615	10,789	5	93	541	\$ 2,742	\$ 537	\$ 6,937	\$ 6,264

TABLE NO. I—RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Membership.							Church Property.							Insurance.					Woman's Work		C. Papre Takens		
	Local Preachers.	Additions on Profes- sion of Faith.	Additions by Certifi- cate and Otherwise.	Removals by Death and Otherwise.	Present Total Membership.	Adults Baptized.	Infants Baptized.	No. of Churches in Charge.	No. of Church Buildings.	Value.	Indebtedness.	No. of Parsonages.	Value.	Indebtedness.	Value of Other Church Property.	Insurance Carried.	Churches D. or D.	Parsonages D. or D.	Amount of Damage.	Loss Collected.	No. of Societies.	Members.	General Organ.	Conference Organ.
Anderson	5	560	418	440	8,139	361	174	69	59	\$ 259,100	\$ 26,100	19	\$ 73,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 3,800	\$ 140,400	1	1	\$ 172	\$ 100	37	1,070	69	666
Cokesbury	2	574	362	409	10,107	322	186	74	67	489,876	104,445	17	81,641	.....	16,200	214,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	47	1,213	33	769
Columbia	19	884	484	750	12,406	394	393	79	75	474,000	5,062	24	83,000	5,500	70,590	265,830	1	.....	.....	146	47	1,442	48	914
Greenville	11	797	815	584	9,841	464	127	65	57	478,660	3,448	16	81,000	18,023	16,000	233,725	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1,134	54	576
Rock Hill	6	645	472	602	9,929	223	296	61	57	320,500	9,167	19	78,000	5,000	6,378	157,500	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	1,038	42	456
Spartanburg	10	866	720	686	14,226	559	334	80	75	661,900	35,470	21	101,300	15,200	32,300	231,850	.....	.....	.....	.....	43	1,211	65	594
Total	63	4,326	3,271	3,471	64,648	2,323	1,410	428	390	\$2,684,036	\$ 183,692	116	\$ 497,941	\$47,723	\$ 145,268	\$1,243,905	2	1	\$ 172	\$ 246	258	7,108	311	3,975

TABLE NO. II—RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Epworth Leagues.					Sunday Schools.												
	No. Leagues.	Members.	For Missions.	Anniversary Day.	Other Objects.	No. of Sunday Schools.	Officers and Teachers.	No. on Cradle Roll.	No. in Home Department.	No. in All Other Departments.	Total Enrollment, All Departments.	No. of Train- ing Classes.	No. of Wesley Bible Classes.	No. of Pupils Joining Church.	Amt. Raised for Missions.	Amt. Raised on S. S. Day.	Amt. Raised for S. S. Supplies.	Amt. Raised for other Objects.
Anderson	17	493	\$ 107	\$ 7	\$ 204	57	462	418	176	4968	6656	5	56	397	\$ 792	\$ 325	\$ 3,673	\$ 4,262
Cokesbury	10	426	137	.....	311	67	606	559	278	6400	7974	4	68	408	1,117	334	3,372	7,028
Columbia	26	1001	925	59	1301	76	809	1802	675	7749	10481	12	53	658	1,701	714	6,533	8,403
Greenville	25	767	493	3	761	57	526	581	159	4625	8378	6	47	557	1,714	334	4,521	6,107
Rock Hill	17	583	230	.....	389	58	560	453	243	5573	8505	7	43	409	930	408	4,167	6,727
Spartanburg	20	608	209	31	663	66	761	1211	361	7615	10789	5	93	541	2,742	537	6,937	6,264
Total	115	3878	\$ 2101	\$ 100	\$ 3629	381	3752	5024	1892	36930	52783	39	360	2970	\$ 8,996	\$ 2,652	\$ 29,203	\$ 38,791

TABLE NO. III—RECAPITULATION.

DISTRICTS.	Presiding Elder Assessed.	Presiding Elder Paid.	Preacher in Charge Assessed.	Preacher in Charge Paid.	District Work Assessed.	District Work Paid.	Annual Conference Work Assessed.	Annual Conference Work Paid.	General Work Assessed.	General Work Paid.	Foreign Miss. Special.	Home Miss. Special.	Conf. Missions Special.	Expended for Church and Parsonage Paid.	Incidental Expenses Paid.	Insurance Premiums Paid.	Raised by Epworth Leagues.	Raised by S. S.	Raised by W. M. S.	Objects Not Elsewhere Reported.	For Centenary	For Orphanage	For Education Movement.	Total.	Less Items Reported Twice.	Grand Total for Year.
Ad'sn	\$ 3,150	\$ 3,133	\$ 27,833	\$ 27,779	\$ 536	\$ 448	\$ 7,270	\$ 5,949	\$ 5,099	\$ 4,192	\$ 42	\$ 175	\$ 57	\$ 13,413	\$ 1,007	\$ 987	\$ 317	\$10,089	\$ 5,218	\$ 2,881	\$10,234	\$ 2,963	\$ 1,836	\$ 95,294	\$ 1,914	\$ 93,390
Ck'by	3,600	3,260	34,325	30,518	1,538	1,305	9,073	6,210	6,363	4,235	165	15	.....	14,783	4,400	1,331	457	11,894	4,322	6,181	10,242	3,377	8,548	110,817	4,409	106,407
Col'a	4,013	3,814	44,735	42,344	417	439	11,156	8,934	7,819	6,200	158	98	133	28,332	4,586	958	2,009	17,962	12,304	21,241	13,105	2,327	1,494	166,374	5,335	161,317
G'ville	3,600	3,519	38,055	37,167	380	310	9,551	7,229	7,162	4,992	529	605	964	29,308	14,764	780	1,296	13,053	9,985	8,832	10,039	4,839	2,232	145,703	4,795	139,163
R. H'l	3,312	3,256	36,066	35,875	482	454	8,844	7,910	6,297	5,596	100	400	.....	16,516	3,726	1,071	610	12,505	6,924	8,420	8,772	1,746	1,283	119,567	1,916	112,913
Sp'bg	3,934	3,901	46,275	44,651	688	650	11,655	9,309	8,167	6,592	1,113	2,800	1	18,092	8,636	1,524	978	15,888	7,978	14,261	10,340	2,329	720	150,554	2,839	147,777
Total..	\$21,609	\$20,883	\$227,339	\$218,334	\$4,041	\$3,606	\$57,549	\$45,541	\$40,907	\$31,807	\$2,107	\$4,093	\$1,155	\$ 120,444	\$37,119	\$ 6,651	\$5,667	\$81,391	\$46,731	\$61,816	\$62,735	\$17,581	\$16,113	\$ 788,309	\$21,208	\$ 760,967

SESSIONS

Of the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference.

Number.	Place.	Date.	President.	Secretary.	Membership.
1	Spartanburg ..	Nov. 24, 1915..	Collins Denny	P. B. Wells	51,016
2	Greenville	Nov. 15, 1916..	W. A. Candler	W. J. Snyder...	54,141
3	Clinton	Nov. 28, 1917..	W. A. Candler	W. J. Snyder...	56,203
4	Chester	Nov. 27, 1918..	U. V. W. Darlington	W. J. Snyder...	59,924
5	Greenwood ...	Nov. 5, 1919..	U. V. W. Darlington	W. J. Snyder...	54,788
6	Union	Nov. 4, 1920..	U. V. W. Darlington	B. R. Turnipseed	60,493
7	Lancaster	Nov. 2, 1921..	U. V. W. Darlington	B. R. Turnipseed	64,648

Chronological Roll of the Clerical Members of The Upper South Carolina Annual Conference, A. D. 1850-1920

(This record is of those whose membership passed, at the division of the Conference, November, 1914, the the Upper South Carolina Annual Conference.)

- November, 1865.* J. B. Traywick.
 December, 1870. E. Toland Hodges.
 December, 1873. L. F. Beaty, John O. Willson.
 December, 1875. W. S. Martin.
 December, 1880. J. W. Neeley, W. M. Harden.
 December, 1881. M. M. Brabham.
 December, 1885. J. M. Steadman, T. C. O'Dell, J. F. Anderson.
 December, 1886. M. L. Carlisle.
 December, 1887. James W. Kilgo, John L. Harley, S. T. Blackman, James E. Mahaffey.
 November, 1888. Nicholas G. Ballenger, Pierce W. Kilgo, Robert E. Stackhouse, Ellie P. Taylor.
 November, 1889. Albert H. Best, J. R. Copeland, John William Shell.
 November, 1890. Edward W. Mason.
 December, 1891. Alexander N. Brunson.
 November, 1892. J. L. Daniel, W. B. Justus.
 November, 1894. William S. Goodwin, W. J. Snyder.
 December, 1895. Chesley C. Herbert, George C. Leonard, Benjamin M. Robertson, Henry Stokes.
 December, 1896. D. W. Keller, J. C. Roper, Foster Speer.
 December, 1897. S. H. Booth, A. E. Holler, W. A. Fairey, J. W. Speake.
 December, 1898. O. M. Abney, E. Z. James, J. E. Strickaland.
 December, 1899. L. L. Inabinet
 November, 1900. T. F. Gibson (W. N. C.), L. P. McGee.
 November, 1901. Sam T. Creech, Archibald E. Driggers, J. G. Huggin (N. M.), William H. Hurray.

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- December, 1903. D. E. Camak, O. A. Jeffcoat, C. E. Peele, L. E. Wiggins.

- December, 1904. L. D. Gillespie, R. E. Sharp.
 December, 1905. R. F. Bryant (W. N. C.), John R. T. Major, W. M. Owings.
 November, 1906. H. B. Hardy, J. T. Miller, T. W. Munnerlyn
 November, 1907. J. H. Brown, F. E. Dibble, W. C. Kelley, J. H. Montgomery, W. H. Polk.
 November, 1908. F. G. Whitlock.
 December, 1909. J. W. Lewis, E. R. Mason, J. L. Singleton.
 December, 1910. J. H. Danner, D. R. Roof.
 November, 1911. M. M. Brooks, W. R. Bouknight, J. A. Bledsoe, L. W. Johnson (W.), R. O. Lawton (W. N. C.), J. H. Manley, J. M. Meetze, M. T. Wharton.
 November, 1912. W. F. Gault, J. D. Holler, W. B. Garrett, R. F. Morris, W. L. Mulliken, W. P. Meadors, D. E. Jeffcoat.
 November, 1913. Pierce Riddle Kilgo, Hollis A. Whitten, Wm. T. Belvin (S. G.), G. G. Harley (W. N. C.).
 November, 1914. J. B. Connelley, A. L. Gunter, R. L. Keaton, M. B. Patrick.
 November, 1915. M. K. Meadors, J. D. Griffin, A. Q. Rice, W. H. Lewis, A. McBee Doggett, C. P. Carter, B. H. Harvey, Geo. H. Hodges, G. T. Hughes, J. F. Golightly, S. B. White (B.), W. A. Duckworth (B.), J. B. Kilgore (S. C.), Hamlin Etheredge (S. C.), J. W. Bailey (S. C.), E. S. Jones (S. C.), R. C. Boulware (S. C.), B. R. Turnispseed (S. C.).
 November, 1916. J. E. Brown, J. B. Chick, R. F. Cogburn, W. Y. Cooley, S. C. Dunlap, C. L. Harris, R. L. Holroyd, J. F. Lupo, R. L. Doggett (W. N. C.), Jno. W. Fraser (A.), J. C. Cunningham (M. E.), M. G. Latham (R.).
 November, 1917. C. M. Morris (L.).
 November, 1918. P. L. Buoknight, T. J. Carter, J. F. Farr, D. A. Jeffcoat, J. M. Mason, J. E. Merchant, L. W. Shealy, R. W. Wilkes, A. W. Barr (T.), C. W. Watson (P.), R. S. Truesdale (S. C.), R. L. Rountree (S. C.).
 November, 1919. F. C. Beach, J. B. Byars, H. O. Chambers (W. Va.), W. F. Harris, J. L. Jett, C. A. Johnson (N. C.), Whitfield Johnson, J. P. Patton (S. C.), J. P. Simpson (S. C.), A. M. Smith, A. E. Smith, W. E. Taylor, James Waite (Pres.)
 November, 1920. W. G. Smith, J. T. Frazier, B. H. Tucker, R. C. Griffith, J. W. Cooley, E. F. Moseley, W. J. Snyder (S. C.), D. R. Roof (S. C.), G. W. M. Taylor (V. C.), J. K. Walker (V. C.), J. C. Harmon (W. N. C.), J. S. Henley (T. C.), J. T. Lawrence (M. B.).
 November, 1921. Larkin Augustus Carter, James Smiley Edwards, James Elijah Ellis, Numa M. Phillips, Francis Victor Robertson, Herbert Willis Sanders, Robert Marvin Tucker, Roy Omer Webb, J. C. Diggs, (Fla.), F. C. Owen (North Ga.), J. A. Chandler (North Ga.), A. M. Trawick, (Memphis), A. P. Smith, (Tenn.)

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Anderson, J. F.	Williamston	32			3	35	S ^d
Bailey, J. W.		21			1	22	S ^d
Ballenger, N. G.	Lowndesville	27		3	3	33	E
Barr, A. W.	Walhalla	3				3	E
Beach, F. C.	Ridge Spring	2				2	D
Beaty, L. F.	Nashville, Tenn.	18	27			45	E
Best, A. H.	Pacolet	32		1		33	S ^y
Blackman, S. T.	Jonesville	34				34	E
Bledsoe, J. A.	Lancaster	10				10	E
Booth, S. H.	Simpsonville	24				24	E
Bouknight, W. R.	Fort Mill	10				10	E
Bouknight, P. L.	Greenville	4				4	E
Boulware, R. C.	Chester	26		1		27	E
Brabham, M. M.	Ninety Six	30			10	40	S ^d
Brooks, M. M.	Greenville	10				10	E
Brown, J. E.	Great Falls	5				5	E
Brown, J. H.	Leesville	14				14	E
Brunson, A. N.	Greenwood	30				30	E
Bryant, R. F.	Spindale, N. C.	7			9	16	S ^d
Byars, J. P.	Anderson	2				2	E
Camak, D. E.	Spartanburg	7	11			18	E
Carlisle, M. L.	Columbia	34				34	E
Chambers, H. O.	Greenville	2				2	E
Chick, J. B.	Union	5				5	E
Chandler, J. A.	Union	5				5	E
Clarkson G. F.	Newberry	21		9		30	E
Connelly, J. B.	Spartanburg	7				7	E
Cogburn, R. F.	Union	4				4	E
Cooley, W. Y.	Inman	5				5	E
Copeland, J. R.	Chester	31			1	32	S ^d
Creech, S. T.	Spartanburg	17	3			20	E
Cunningham, J. C.	Cokesbury	6				6	E
Daniel, J. L.	Newberry	29				29	E
Dibble, F. E.	Spartanburg	14				14	E
Diggs, J. C.	Pickens	1				1	E
Doggett, A. McB.	Columbia	6				6	E
Doggett, R. L.	Phoenix	16	2			18	E
Driggers, A. E.	Clemson College	20				20	E
Duckworth, W. A.	Antreville	5				5	E
Fairey, W. A.	Spartanburg	24				24	P E
Farr, J. F.	Greer	4				4	D
Garrett, W. B.	Greenville	9				9	E
Gault, W. F.	Newberry	9				9	E
Gibson, T. F.	Leesville	21				21	E
Gillespie, L. D.	Spartanburg	13	3	1		17	E
Golightly, J. F.	Kelton	6				6	E
Goodwin, W. S.	Central	27				27	E
Griffin, J. D.	Prosperity	6				6	D
Gunter, A. L.	Gaffney	7				7	E
Harden, W. M.	Gaffney	38	3			41	E
Hardy, H. B.	Seneca	15				15	E
Harley, G. G.	Ware Shoals	8				8	E
Harley, J. L.	Spartanburg	20	14			34	E
Harmon, J. C.	Ridgeway	1				1	E
Harris, C. L.	Greenville	5				5	E
Harvey, B. H.	Greenville	6				6	D
Henley, J. S.	Williamston	1				1	E
Herbert, C. C.	Greenville	26				26	E

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Hodges, E. T.	Columbia	50	1			51	F
Hodges, G. H.	Aiken	6				6	F
Holler, A. E.	Anderson	22		1	1	24	P F
Holler, J. D.	Winnsboro	9				9	F
Holroyd, R. L.	Rock Hill	5				5	F
Huggin, J. G.	Clover	20				20	F
Hughes, G. T.	Graniteville	6				6	F
Inabinet, L. L.	Pickens	11		3	8	22	S'd
Jeffcoat, D. E.	Wagener	9				9	F
Jeffcoat, O. A.	Ninety Six	18				18	F
Jeffcoat, D. A.	West Union	4				4	D
Jett, J. L.	Starr	2				2	D
Johnson, L. W.	Gilbert	10				10	D
Johnson, W.	Rock Hill	2				2	D
Jones, E. S.	Greenwood	27				27	P F
Justus, W. B.	Pomaria	28				28	F
Keaton, R. L.	Columbia	7				7	F
Keller, D. W.	Johnston	25				25	F
Kelly, W. C.	VanWyck	14				14	F
Kilgo, J. W.	Union	34				34	F
Kilgo, P. F.	Laurens	33				33	F
Kilgo, P. R.	Duncan	8				8	F
Kilgore, J. B.	Abbeville	17	1			18	F
Latham, M. G.	Hickory Grove	1		4		5	F
Lawton, R. O.	Greenwood	2	8			10	F
Leonard, G. C.	Rock Hill	26				26	P F
Lewis, J. W.	Hickory Grove	11	1			12	F
Lewis, W. H.	Columbia	6				6	F
Lupo, J. F.	Waterloo	5				5	F
Mahaffey, J. E.	Honea Path	34				34	F
Major, J. R. T.	Columbia	16				16	P F
Manly, J. H.	Pacolet	10				10	F
Martin, W. S.	Rock Hill	45				45	F
Mason, E. R.	Lancaster	10	2			12	F
Mason, E. W.	Liberty	23			8	31	F
Mason, J. M.	Cowpens	4				4	F
Meadors, M. K.	Blacksburg	6				6	F
Meadors, W. P.	Rock Hill	9				9	F
Meetze, J. M.	Greenwood	10				10	F
Merchant, J. E.	Spartanburg	4				4	F
Miller, J. T.	Pendleton	15				15	F
Montgomery, J. H.	Campobello	14				14	F
Morris, C. M.	Greer	4				4	F
Morris, R. F.	Columbia	9				9	F
Mullikin, W. L.	Pelzer	9				9	F
Munnerlyn, T. W.	Batesburg	15				15	F
Murray, W. H.	Greenwood	20				20	F
McGhee, L. P.	Anderson	21				21	F
Neelv, J. W.	Columbia	36		1	4	41	S'd
O'Dell, T. C.	North Augusta						
Owings, W. M.	Woodruff	16				16	F
Owen, F. C.	Cross Anchor	16				16	F
Patrick, M. B.	Spartanburg	7				7	F
Patton, J. P.	Fasley	2				2	F
Peele, C. E.	Abbeville	18				18	F
Polk, W. H.	Fountain Inn	13	1			14	F
Rice, A. Q.	Richburg	14				14	F
Roof, D. R.	Leesville						S'y
Robertson, B. M.	Enoree	25				25	F
Roper, J. C.	Chester	22	3			25	F
Rountree, R. L.	Plum Branch	2				2	D
Sharpe, R. E.	Rockton	17				17	F
Shealy, L. W.	Kinards	4				4	F
Shell, J. W.	Blackstock	33				33	F

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Singleton, J. L.....	Saluda	12				12	E
Speake, J. W.....	Rock Hill	23	1			24	E
Smith, A. M.....	Anderson	2				2	D
Smith, A. E.....	Saluda	2				2	D
Smith, A. P.....	Piedmont						D
Snyder, W. J.....	Bamberg	25	2			27	E
Speer, Foster,	Laurens	23		2		25	E
Stackhouse, R. E.....	Columbia	31	2			33	E
Steadman, J. M.....	Greenville	36				36	P E
Stokes, Henry.....	Chester	24	1			25	E
Strickland, J. E.....	Gaffney	23				23	E
Taylor, E. P.....	Batesburg	33				33	E
Taylor, G. W. M.....	Edgefield	2				2	E
Traywick, J. B.....	Chester	54			2		S'd
Traywick, A. M.....	Spartanburg						E
Truesdale, R. S.....	Columbia	22				22	E
Turnipseed B. R.....	Spartanburg	21				21	E
Walker, J. K.....	York	1				1	E
Watson, C. W.....	Gray Court	9				9	E
Wharton, M. T.....	McCormick	10				10	E
White, S. B.....	Greenville	6				6	E
Whitlock, F. G.....	Clifton	13				13	E
Whitten, H. A.....	Lexington	8				8	E
Wiggins, L. E.....	Clinton	15	3			18	E
Wilkes, R. W.....	Fort Lawn	4				4	E
Willson, John O.....	Greenwood	24	24	1		48	E



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Robertson, Francis V.	Lancaster, S. C.
Sanders, H. W.	Spartanburg, S. C.
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Webb, Roy O.	Buffalo, S. C.
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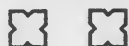
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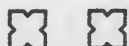
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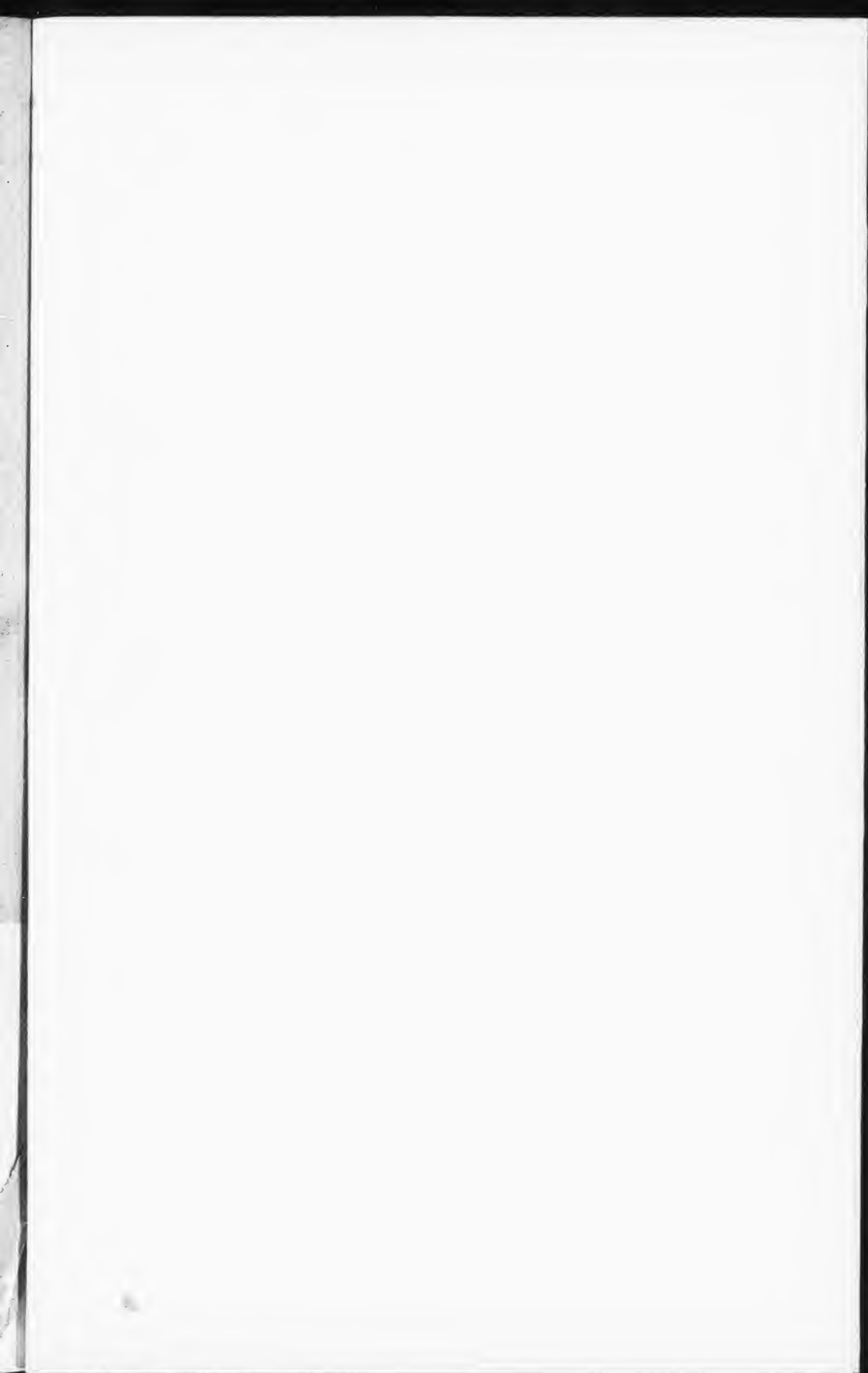
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